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Ms. FEINSTEIN (for herself, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. AKAKA, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. BOREN, Mr. BRYAN, Mr. FEINGOLD, Mr. HARKIN, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. KOHL, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. METZENBAUM, Ms. MIKULSKI, Ms. MURRAY, Mr. NUNN, Mr. PELL, Mr. REID, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, Mr. SIMON, Mr. WELLSTONE, Mr. WOFFORD, Mr. JEFFORDS, Ms. MOSELEY-BRAUN, Mr. KRUEGER, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. BIDEN, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. EXON, Mr. KERRY, Mr. DECONCINI, Mr. KERREY, Mr. BRADLEY, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. MATHEWS, and Mr. MOYNIHAN) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

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Reported by Mr. JOHNSTON, with an amendment

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To designate certain lands in the California Desert as wilderness, to establish Death Valley, Joshua Tree, and Mojave National Parks, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That this Act may be cited as the “California Desert Pro-
4 tection Act of 1993”.

5 FINDINGS AND POLICY

6 SEC. 2. (a) The Congress finds and declares that—

7 (1) the federally owned desert lands of southern
8 California constitute a public wildland resource of
9 extraordinary and inestimable value for this and fu-
10 ture generations;

11 (2) these desert wildlands display unique scenic,
12 historical, archeological, environmental, ecological,
13 wildlife, cultural, scientific, educational, and rec-
14 reational values used and enjoyed by millions of
15 Americans for hiking and camping, scientific study
16 and scenic appreciation;

17 (3) the public land resources of the California
18 desert now face and are increasingly threatened by
19 adverse pressures which would impair, dilute, and
20 destroy their public and natural values;

21 (4) the California desert, embracing wilderness
22 lands, units of the National Park System, other
23 Federal lands, State parks and other State lands,
24 and private lands, constitutes a cohesive unit posing
25 unique and difficult resource protection and manage-
26 ment challenges;

1 (5) through designation of national monuments
2 by Presidential proclamation, through enactment of
3 general public land statutes (including section 601
4 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of
5 1976, 90 Stat. 2743, 43 U.S.C. 1701 et seq.) and
6 through interim administrative actions, the Federal
7 government has begun the process of appropriately
8 providing for protection of the significant resources
9 of the public lands in the California desert; and

10 (6) statutory land unit designations are needed
11 to afford the full protection which the resources and
12 public land values of the California desert merit.

13 (b) In order to secure for the American people of this
14 and future generations an enduring heritage of wilderness,
15 national parks, and public land values in the California
16 desert, it is hereby declared to be the policy of the Con-
17 gress that—

18 (1) appropriate public lands in the California
19 desert shall be included within the National Park
20 System and the National Wilderness Preservation
21 System, in order to—

22 (A) preserve unrivaled scenic, geologic, and
23 wildlife values associated with these unique nat-
24 ural landscapes;

(B) perpetuate in their natural state significant and diverse ecosystems of the California desert;

(C) protect and preserve historical and cultural values of the California desert associated with ancient Indian cultures, patterns of western exploration and settlement, and sites exemplifying the mining, ranching and railroading history of the Old West;

(D) provide opportunities for compatible outdoor public recreation, protect and interpret ecological and geological features and historic, paleontological, and archeological sites, maintain wilderness resource values, and promote public understanding and appreciation of the California desert; and

(E) retain and enhance opportunities for scientific research in undisturbed ecosystems.

TITLE I—WILDERNESS ADDITIONS

FINDINGS

SEC. 101. The Congress finds and declares that—

(1) wilderness is a distinguishing characteristic of the public lands in the California desert, one which affords an unrivaled opportunity for experiencing vast areas of the Old West essentially

1 unaltered by man's activities, and which merits pres-
2 ervation for the benefit of present and future gen-
3 erations;

4 (2) the wilderness values of desert lands are in-
5 creasingly threatened by and especially vulnerable to
6 impairment, alteration, and destruction by activities
7 and intrusions associated with incompatible use and
8 development; and

9 (3) preservation of desert wilderness necessarily
10 requires the highest forms of protective designation
11 and management.

12 DESIGNATION OF WILDERNESS

13 SEC. 102. In furtherance of the purpose of the Wil-
14 derness Act (78 Stat. 890, 16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), and
15 sections 601 and 603 of the Federal Land Policy and
16 Management Act of 1976 (90 Stat. 2743, 43 U.S.C. 1701
17 et seq.), the following lands in the State of California, as
18 generally depicted on maps, referenced herein, dated Feb-
19 ruary 1986 (except as otherwise dated), are hereby des-
20 ignated as wilderness, and therefore, as components of the
21 National Wilderness Preservation System:

22 (1) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-
23 servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,
24 which comprise approximately seventy four thousand
25 eight hundred and ninety acres, as generally de-
26 picted on a map entitled "Argus Range Wilder-

1 ness—Proposed 1”, dated May 1991, and two maps
2 entitled “Argus Range Wilderness—Proposed 2”
3 and “Argus Range Wilderness—Proposed 3” dated
4 January 1989, and which shall be known as the
5 Argus Range Wilderness.

6 (2) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-
7 servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,
8 which comprise approximately ten thousand three
9 hundred and eighty acres, as generally depicted on
10 a map entitled “Bigelow Cholla Garden Wilder-
11 ness—Proposed”, dated October 1991, and which
12 shall be known as the Bigelow Cholla Garden Wil-
13 derness.

14 (3) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-
15 servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,
16 and within the San Bernardino National Forest,
17 which comprise approximately thirty-nine thousand
18 two hundred acres, as generally depicted on a map
19 entitled “Bighorn Mountain Wilderness—Proposed”,
20 dated September 1991, and which shall be known as
21 the Bighorn Mountain Wilderness.

22 (4) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-
23 servation Area and the Yuma District, of the Bu-
24 reau of Land Management, which comprise approxi-
25 mately forty-seven thousand five hundred and sev-

1 enty acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
2 “Big Maria Mountains Wilderness—Proposed”, and
3 which shall be known as the Big Maria Mountains
4 Wilderness.

5 (5) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-
6 servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,
7 which comprise thirteen thousand nine hundred and
8 forty acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
9 “Black Mountain Wilderness—Proposed”, and which
10 shall be known as the Black Mountain Wilderness.

11 (6) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-
12 servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,
13 which comprise approximately nine thousand five
14 hundred and twenty acres, as generally depicted on
15 a map entitled “Bright Star Wilderness—Proposed”,
16 dated May 1991, and which shall be known as the
17 Bright Star Wilderness.

18 (7) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-
19 servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,
20 which comprise approximately sixty-eight thousand
21 five hundred and fifteen acres, as generally depicted
22 on two maps entitled “Bristol Mountains Wilder-
23 ness—Proposed 1”, and “Bristol Mountains Wilder-
24 ness—Proposed 2”, dated September 1991, and

1 which shall be known as Bristol Mountains Wilder-
2 ness.

3 ~~(8)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert Con-
4 servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,
5 which comprise approximately forty-two thousand six
6 hundred and forty acres, as generally depicted on a
7 map entitled “Cadiz Dunes Wilderness—Proposed”,
8 and which shall be known as the Cadiz Dunes Wil-
9 derness.

10 ~~(9)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert Con-
11 servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,
12 which comprise approximately eighty-five thousand
13 nine hundred and seventy acres, as generally de-
14 picted on a map entitled “Cady Mountains Wilder-
15 ness—Proposed”, dated July 1992, and which shall
16 be known as the Cady Mountains Wilderness.

17 ~~(10)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert
18 Conservation Area and Eastern San Diego County,
19 of the Bureau of Land Management, which comprise
20 approximately fifteen thousand seven hundred acres,
21 as generally depicted on a map entitled “Carrizo
22 Gorge Wilderness—Proposed”, and which shall be
23 known as the Carrizo Gorge Wilderness.

24 ~~(11)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert
25 Conservation Area and Yuma District, of the Bu-

1 reau of Land Management, which comprise approxi-
2 mately sixty-four thousand six hundred and forty
3 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
4 “Chemehuevi Mountains Wilderness—Proposed”,
5 dated October 1991, and which shall be known as
6 the Chemehuevi Mountains Wilderness.

7 (12) Certain lands in the Bakersfield District,
8 of the Bureau of Land Management, which comprise
9 approximately thirteen thousand seven hundred
10 acres, as generally depicted on two maps entitled
11 “Chimney Peak Wilderness—Proposed 1” and
12 “Chimney Peak Wilderness—Proposed 2”, dated
13 May 1991, and which shall be known as the Chim-
14 ney Peak Wilderness.

15 (13) Certain lands in the California Desert
16 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
17 ment, which comprise approximately eighty thousand
18 seven hundred and seventy acres, as generally de-
19 picted on two maps entitled “Chuckwalla Mountains
20 Wilderness—Proposed 1” and “Chuckwalla Moun-
21 tains Wilderness—Proposed 2”, dated July 1992,
22 and which shall be known as the Chuckwalla Moun-
23 tains Wilderness.

24 (14) Certain lands in the California Desert
25 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-

1 ment, which comprise thirty-four thousand three
2 hundred and eighty acres, as generally depicted on
3 a map entitled “Cleghorn Lakes Wilderness—Pro-
4 posed”, dated September 1991, and which shall be
5 known as the Cleghorn Lakes Wilderness. The Sec-
6 retary may, pursuant to an application filed by the
7 Department of Defense, grant a right-of-way for,
8 and authorize construction of, a road within the area
9 depicted as “non-wilderness road corridor” on such
10 map.

11 (15) Certain lands in the California Desert
12 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
13 ment, which comprise approximately forty thousand
14 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Clip-
15 per Mountain Wilderness—Proposed”, dated May
16 1991, and which shall be known as Clipper Moun-
17 tain Wilderness.

18 (16) Certain lands in the California Desert
19 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
20 ment, which comprise approximately fifty thousand
21 five hundred and twenty acres, as generally depicted
22 on a map entitled “Coso Range Wilderness—Pro-
23 posed”, dated May 1991, and which shall be known
24 as Coso Range Wilderness.

1 (17) Certain lands in the California Desert
2 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
3 ment, which comprise approximately eighteen thou-
4 sand six hundred acres, as generally depicted on a
5 map entitled “Coyote Mountains Wilderness—Pro-
6 posed”, dated May 1991, and which shall be known
7 as Coyote Mountains Wilderness.

8 (18) Certain lands in the California Desert
9 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
10 ment, which comprise approximately eight thousand
11 six hundred acres, as generally depicted on a map
12 entitled “Darwin Falls Wilderness—Proposed”,
13 dated May 1991, and which shall be known as Dar-
14 win Falls Wilderness.

15 (19) Certain lands in the California Desert
16 Conservation Area and the Yuma District, of the
17 Bureau of Land Management, which comprise ap-
18 proximately forty-eight thousand eight hundred and
19 fifty acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
20 “Dead Mountains Wilderness—Proposed”, dated
21 October 1991, and which shall be known as Dead
22 Mountains Wilderness.

23 (20) Certain lands in the Bakersfield District,
24 of the Bureau of Land Management, which comprise
25 approximately thirty-six thousand three hundred

1 acres, as generally depicted on two maps entitled
2 “Domeland Wilderness Additions—Proposed 1” and
3 “Domeland Wilderness Additions—Proposed 2”, and
4 which are hereby incorporated in, and which shall be
5 deemed to be a part of, the Domeland Wilderness as
6 designated by Public Laws 93–632 and 98–425.

7 (21) Certain lands in the California Desert
8 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
9 ment, which comprise approximately sixteen thou-
10 sand one hundred acres, as generally depicted on a
11 map entitled “El Paso Mountains Wilderness—Pro-
12 posed”, and which shall be known as the El Paso
13 Mountains Wilderness.

14 (22) Certain lands in the California Desert
15 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
16 ment, which comprise approximately twenty-six
17 thousand three hundred acres, as generally depicted
18 on a map entitled “Fish Creek Mountains Wilder-
19 ness—Proposed”, dated May 1991, and which shall
20 be known as Fish Creek Mountains Wilderness.

21 (23) Certain lands in the California Desert
22 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
23 ment, which comprise approximately twenty-eight
24 thousand one hundred and ten acres, as generally
25 depicted on a map entitled “Funeral Mountains Wil-

1 derness—Proposed”, dated May 1991, and which
2 shall be known as Funeral Mountains Wilderness.

3 ~~(24)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert
4 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
5 ment, which comprise approximately thirty-seven
6 thousand seven hundred acres, as generally depicted
7 on a map entitled “Golden Valley Wilderness—Pro-
8 posed”, and which shall be known as Golden Valley
9 Wilderness.

10 ~~(25)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert
11 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
12 ment, which comprise approximately thirty-one thou-
13 sand seven hundred and twenty acres, as generally
14 depicted on a map entitled “Grass Valley Wilder-
15 ness—Proposed”, and which shall be known as the
16 Grass Valley Wilderness.

17 ~~(26)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert
18 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
19 ment, which comprise approximately eight thousand
20 eight hundred acres, as generally depicted on a map
21 entitled “Great Falls Basin Wilderness—Proposed”,
22 and which shall be known as the Great Falls Basin
23 Wilderness.

24 ~~(27)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert
25 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-

1 ment, which comprise approximately twenty-two
2 thousand two hundred and forty acres, as generally
3 depicted on a map entitled “Hollow Hills Wilder-
4 ness—Proposed”, dated May 1991, and which shall
5 be known as the Hollow Hills Wilderness.

6 (28) Certain lands in the California Desert
7 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
8 ment, which comprise approximately twenty-six
9 thousand four hundred and sixty acres, as generally
10 depicted on a map entitled “Ibex Wilderness—Pro-
11 posed”, dated May 1991, and which shall be known
12 as the Ibex Wilderness.

13 (29) Certain lands in the California Desert
14 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
15 ment, which comprise approximately thirty-five thou-
16 sand and fifteen acres, as generally depicted on a
17 map entitled “Indian Pass Wilderness—Proposed”,
18 dated October 1991, and which shall be known as
19 the Indian Pass Wilderness.

20 (30) Certain lands in the California Desert
21 Conservation Area and the Bakersfield District, of
22 the Bureau of Land Management, and within the
23 Inyo National Forest, which comprise approximately
24 two hundred and five thousand and twenty acres, as
25 generally depicted on three maps entitled “Inyo

1 Mountains Wilderness—Proposed”, numbered in the
2 title one through three, and dated May 1991, and
3 which shall be known as the Inyo Mountains Wilder-
4 ness.

5 (31) Certain lands in the California Desert
6 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
7 ment, which comprise approximately thirty-four
8 thousand five hundred and fifty acres, as generally
9 depicted on a map entitled “Jacumba Wilderness—
10 Proposed”, dated October 1991, and which shall be
11 known as the Jacumba Wilderness.

12 (32) Certain lands in the California Desert
13 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
14 ment, which comprise approximately one hundred
15 and twenty-nine thousand five hundred and eighty
16 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Kelso
17 Dunes Wilderness—Proposed 1”, dated October
18 1991, a map entitled “Kelso Dunes Wilderness—
19 Proposed 2”, dated May 1991, and a map entitled
20 “Kelso Dunes Wilderness—Proposed 3”, dated Sep-
21 tember 1991, and which shall be known as the Kelso
22 Dunes Wilderness.

23 (33) Certain lands in the California Desert
24 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
25 ment, and the Sequoia National Forest, which com-

1 prise approximately eighty-eight thousand two hun-
2 dred and ninety acres, as generally depicted on a
3 map entitled “Kiavah Wilderness—Proposed 1”,
4 dated February 1986, and a map entitled “Kiavah
5 Wilderness—Proposed 2”, dated May 1991, and
6 which shall be known as the Kiavah Wilderness.

7 (34) Certain lands in the California Desert
8 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
9 ment, which comprise approximately two hundred
10 forty-nine thousand and three hundred and sixty-
11 eight acres, as generally depicted on two maps enti-
12 tled “Kingston Range Wilderness—Proposed 2”,
13 dated October 1991, and “Kingston Range Wilder-
14 ness—Proposed 4”, dated January 1989, and two
15 maps entitled “Kingston Range Wilderness—Pro-
16 posed 1” and “Kingston Range Wilderness—Pro-
17 posed 3”, dated May 1991, and which shall be
18 known as the Kingston Range Wilderness.

19 (35) Certain lands in the California Desert
20 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
21 ment, which comprise approximately forty-six thou-
22 sand four hundred and sixty acres, as generally de-
23 picted on a map entitled “Little Chuckwalla Moun-
24 tains Wilderness—Proposed”, dated October 1991,

1 and which shall be known as the Little Chuckwalla
2 Mountains Wilderness.

3 ~~(36)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert
4 Conservation Area and the Yuma District, of the
5 Bureau of Land Management, which comprise ap-
6 proximately ~~thirty-six~~ thousand four hundred and
7 forty acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
8 “~~Little Picacho Wilderness—Proposed~~”, dated Octo-
9 ber 1991, and which shall be known as the Little
10 Picacho Wilderness.

11 ~~(37)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert
12 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
13 ment, which comprise approximately ~~thirty-two~~ thou-
14 sand three hundred and sixty acres, as generally de-
15 picted on a map entitled “~~Malpais Mesa Wilder-~~
16 ~~ness—Proposed~~”, dated September 1991, and which
17 shall be known as the Malpais Mesa Wilderness.

18 ~~(38)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert
19 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
20 ment, which comprise approximately sixteen thou-
21 sand one hundred and five acres, as generally de-
22 picted on a map entitled “~~Manly Peak Wilderness—~~
23 ~~Proposed~~”, dated October 1991, and which shall be
24 known as the Manly Peak Wilderness.

1 (39) Certain lands in the California Desert
2 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
3 ment, which comprise approximately twenty-four
4 thousand two hundred and eighty acres, as generally
5 depicted on a map entitled “Mecca Hills Wilder-
6 ness—Proposed”, dated October 1991, and which
7 shall be known as the Mecca Hills Wilderness.

8 (40) Certain lands in the California Desert
9 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
10 ment, which comprise approximately forty-seven
11 thousand three hundred and thirty acres, as gen-
12 erally depicted on a map entitled “Mesquite Wilder-
13 ness—Proposed”, dated May 1991, and which shall
14 be known as the Mesquite Wilderness.

15 (41) Certain lands in the California Desert
16 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
17 ment, which comprise approximately twenty-two
18 thousand nine hundred acres, as generally depicted
19 on a map entitled “Newberry Mountains Wilder-
20 ness—Proposed”, and which shall be known as the
21 Newberry Mountains Wilderness.

22 (42) Certain lands in the California Desert
23 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
24 ment, which comprise approximately one hundred
25 ten thousand eight hundred and eighty acres, as

1 generally depicted on a map entitled “Nopah Range
2 Wilderness—Proposed”, dated May 1991, and which
3 shall be known as the Nopah Range Wilderness.

4 (43) Certain lands in the California Desert
5 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
6 ment, which comprise approximately thirty-two thou-
7 sand two hundred and forty acres, as generally de-
8 picted on a map entitled “North Algodones Dunes
9 Wilderness—Proposed”, dated October 1991, and
10 which shall be known as the North Algodones Dunes
11 Wilderness.

12 (44) Certain lands in the California Desert
13 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
14 ment, which comprise approximately twenty-five
15 thousand five hundred and forty acres, as generally
16 depicted on a map entitled “North Mesquite Moun-
17 tains Wilderness—Proposed”, dated May 1991, and
18 which shall be known as the North Mesquite Moun-
19 tains Wilderness.

20 (45) Certain lands in the California Desert
21 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
22 ment, which comprise approximately one hundred
23 forty-six thousand and seventy acres, as generally
24 depicted on a map entitled “Old Woman Mountains
25 Wilderness—Proposed 1”, dated May 1991 and a

1 map entitled “Old Woman Mountains Wilderness—
2 Proposed 2”, dated October 1991, and which shall
3 be known as the Old Woman Mountains Wilderness.

4 (46) Certain lands in the California Desert
5 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
6 ment, which comprise approximately forty thousand
7 seven hundred and seventy acres, as generally de-
8 picted on a map entitled “Orocopia Mountains Wil-
9 derness—Proposed”, dated July 1992, and which
10 shall be known as the Orocopia Mountains Wilder-
11 ness.

12 (47) Certain lands in the California Desert
13 Conservation Area and the Bakersfield District, of
14 the Bureau of Land Management, which comprise
15 approximately seventy-four thousand six hundred
16 and forty acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
17 tled “Owens Peak Wilderness—Proposed 1”, dated
18 February 1986, and two maps entitled “Owens Peak
19 Wilderness—Proposed 2” and “Owens Peak Wilder-
20 ness—Proposed 3”, dated May 1991, and which
21 shall be known as the Owens Peak Wilderness.

22 (48) Certain lands in the California Desert
23 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
24 ment, which comprise approximately seventy-four
25 thousand eight hundred acres, as generally depicted

1 on a map entitled “Pahrump Valley Wilderness—
2 Proposed”, and which shall be known as the
3 Pahrump Valley Wilderness.

4 (49) Certain lands in the California Desert
5 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
6 ment, which comprise approximately two hundred
7 fourteen thousand one hundred and forty-nine acres,
8 as generally depicted on a map entitled “Palen/
9 McCoy Wilderness—Proposed 1”, dated May 1991,
10 and a map entitled “Palen/McCoy Wilderness—Pro-
11 posed 2”, dated February 1986, and which shall be
12 known as the Palen/McCoy Wilderness.

13 (50) Certain lands in the California Desert
14 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
15 ment, which comprise approximately thirty-two thou-
16 sand three hundred and twenty acres, as generally
17 depicted on a map entitled “Palo Verde Mountains
18 Wilderness—Proposed”, dated January 1987, and
19 which shall be known as the Palo Verde Mountains
20 Wilderness.

21 (51) Certain lands in the California Desert
22 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
23 ment, which comprise approximately seven thousand
24 seven hundred acres, as generally depicted on a map
25 entitled “Picacho Peak Wilderness—Proposed”,

1 dated May 1991, and which shall be known as the
2 Picacho Peak Wilderness.

3 ~~(52)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert
4 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
5 ment, which comprise approximately seventy-two
6 thousand six hundred acres, as generally depicted on
7 a map entitled “Piper Mountain Wilderness—Pro-
8 posed”, dated May 1991, and which shall be known
9 as the Piper Mountain Wilderness.

10 ~~(53)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert
11 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
12 ment, which comprise approximately thirty-seven
13 thousand eight hundred acres, as generally depicted
14 on a map entitled “Piute Mountains Wilderness—
15 Proposed”, dated October 1991, and which shall be
16 known as the Piute Mountains Wilderness.

17 ~~(54)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert
18 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
19 ment, which comprise approximately seventy-eight
20 thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight acres, as
21 generally depicted on a map entitled “Resting
22 Spring Range Wilderness—Proposed”, dated May
23 1991, and which shall be known as the Resting
24 Spring Range Wilderness.

1 (55) Certain lands in the California Desert
2 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
3 ment, which comprise approximately forty thousand
4 eight hundred and twenty acres, as generally de-
5 picted on a map entitled “Rice Valley Wilderness—
6 Proposed”, dated May 1991, and which shall be
7 known as the Rice Valley Wilderness.

8 (56) Certain lands in the California Desert
9 Conservation Area and the Yuma District, of the
10 Bureau of Land Management, which comprise ap-
11 proximately twenty-two thousand three hundred
12 eighty acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
13 “Riverside Mountains Wilderness—Proposed”, dated
14 May 1991, and which shall be known as the River-
15 side Mountains Wilderness.

16 (57) Certain lands in the California Desert
17 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
18 ment, which comprise approximately twenty-seven
19 thousand seven hundred acres, as generally depicted
20 on a map entitled “Rodman Mountains Wilder-
21 ness—Proposed”, dated January 1989, and which
22 shall be known as the Rodman Mountains Wilder-
23 ness.

24 (58) Certain lands in the California Desert
25 Conservation Area and the Bakersfield District, of

1 the Bureau of Land Management, which comprise
2 approximately fifty-one thousand nine hundred
3 acres, as generally depicted on two maps entitled
4 “Sacatar Trail Wilderness—Proposed 1” and
5 “Sacatar Trail Wilderness—Proposed 2”, dated May
6 1991, and which shall be known as the Sacatar Trail
7 Wilderness.

8 (59) Certain lands in the California Desert
9 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
10 ment, which comprise approximately one thousand
11 eight hundred acres, as generally depicted on a map
12 entitled “Saddle Peak Hills Wilderness—Proposed”,
13 dated May 1991, and which shall be known as the
14 Saddle Peak Hills Wilderness.

15 (60) Certain lands in the California Desert
16 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
17 ment, which comprise approximately thirty-three
18 thousand five hundred acres, as generally depicted
19 on a map entitled “San Geronio Wilderness Addi-
20 tions—Proposed”, and which are hereby incor-
21 porated in, and which shall be deemed to be a part
22 of, the San Geronio Wilderness as designated by
23 Public Laws 88-577 and 98-425.

24 (61) Certain lands in the California Desert
25 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-

1 ment, which comprise approximately fifty-three thou-
2 sand two hundred and forty acres, as generally de-
3 picted on a map entitled “Santa Rosa Wilderness
4 Additions—Proposed”, dated May 1991, and which
5 are hereby incorporated in, and which shall be
6 deemed to be a part of, the Santa Rosa Wilderness
7 designated by Public Laws 98-425.

8 (62) Certain lands in the California Desert Dis-
9 trict, of the Bureau of Land Management, which
10 comprise approximately thirty-five thousand four
11 hundred acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-
12 tled “Sawtooth Mountains Wilderness—Proposed”,
13 and which shall be known as the Sawtooth Moun-
14 tains Wilderness.

15 (63) Certain lands in the California Desert
16 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
17 ment, which comprise approximately one hundred
18 seventy-four thousand eight hundred acres, as gen-
19 erally depicted on two maps entitled “Sheephole Val-
20 ley Wilderness—Proposed 1”, dated October 1991,
21 and “Sheephole Valley Wilderness—Proposed 2”,
22 dated February 1986, and which shall be known as
23 the Sheephole Valley Wilderness.

24 (64) Certain lands in the California Desert
25 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-

1 ment, which comprise approximately sixty-one thou-
2 sand six hundred and thirty acres, as generally de-
3 picted on a map entitled “South Algodones Dunes
4 Wilderness—Proposed”, dated January 1989, and
5 which shall be known as the South Algodones Dunes
6 Wilderness.

7 (65) Certain lands in the California Desert
8 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
9 ment, which comprise approximately sixteen thou-
10 sand seven hundred and eighty acres, as generally
11 depicted on a map entitled “South Nopah Range
12 Wilderness—Proposed”, and which shall be known
13 as the South Nopah Range Wilderness.

14 (66) Certain lands in the California Desert
15 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
16 ment, which comprise approximately seven thou-
17 sands and fifty acres, as generally depicted on a
18 map entitled “Stateline Wilderness—Proposed”,
19 dated May 1991, and which shall be known as the
20 Stateline Wilderness.

21 (67) Certain lands in the California Desert
22 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
23 ment, which comprise approximately eighty-one
24 thousand six hundred acres, as generally depicted on
25 a map entitled “Stepladder Mountains Wilderness—

1 Proposed”, and which shall be known as the Step-
2 ladder Mountains Wilderness.

3 ~~(68)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert
4 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
5 ment, which comprise approximately twenty-nine
6 thousand one hundred and eighty acres, as generally
7 depicted on a map entitled “Surprise Canyon Wil-
8 derness—Proposed”, dated September 1991, and
9 which shall be known as the Surprise Canyon Wil-
10 derness.

11 ~~(69)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert
12 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
13 ment, which comprise approximately seventeen thou-
14 sand eight hundred and twenty acres, as generally
15 depicted on a map entitled “Sylvania Mountains
16 Wilderness—Proposed”, and which shall be known
17 as the Sylvania Mountains Wilderness.

18 ~~(70)~~ Certain lands in the California Desert
19 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
20 ment, which comprise approximately thirty-three
21 thousand seven hundred and twenty acres, as gen-
22 erally depicted on a map entitled “Trilobite Wilder-
23 ness—Proposed”, dated May 1991, and which shall
24 be known as the Trilobite Wilderness.

1 (71) Certain lands in the California Desert
2 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
3 ment, which comprise approximately one hundred
4 forty-four thousand five hundred acres, as generally
5 depicted on a map entitled “Turtle Mountains Wil-
6 derness—Proposed 1”, dated February 1986 and a
7 map entitled “Turtle Mountains Wilderness—Pro-
8 posed 2”, dated May 1991, and which shall be
9 known as the Turtle Mountains Wilderness.

10 (72) Certain lands in the California Desert
11 Conservation Area and the Yuma District, of the
12 Bureau of Land Management, which comprise ap-
13 proximately seventy-five thousand three hundred
14 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
15 “Whipple Mountains Wilderness—Proposed”, dated
16 May 1991, and which shall be known as the Whipple
17 Mountains Wilderness.

18 (73) Certain lands in the California Desert
19 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
20 ment, which comprise approximately forty-six thou-
21 sand and seventy acres, as generally depicted on a
22 map entitled “Avawatz Mountains Wilderness—Pro-
23 posed”, dated July 1992, and which shall be known
24 as the Avawatz Mountains Wilderness.

1 (74) Certain lands in the California Desert
2 Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Manage-
3 ment, which comprise fifty-five thousand five hun-
4 dred and sixty acres, as generally depicted on a map
5 entitled "Soda Mountains Wilderness—Proposed",
6 dated July 1992, and which shall be known as the
7 Soda Mountain Wilderness."

8 ADMINISTRATION OF WILDERNESS AREAS

9 SEC. 103. Subject to valid existing rights, each wil-
10 derness area designated under section 102 shall be admin-
11 istered by the appropriate Secretary in accordance with
12 the provisions of the Wilderness Act, except that any ref-
13 erence in such provisions to the effective date of the Wil-
14 derness Act shall be deemed to be a reference to the effec-
15 tive date of this title and any reference to the Secretary
16 of Agriculture shall be deemed to be a reference to the
17 Secretary who has administrative jurisdiction over the
18 area.

19 GRAZING

20 SEC. 104. Within the wilderness areas designated
21 under section 102, the grazing of livestock, where estab-
22 lished prior to the enactment of this Act, shall be per-
23 mitted to continue subject to such reasonable regulations,
24 policies, and practices as the Secretary deems necessary,
25 as long as such regulations, policies, and practices fully
26 conform with and implement the intent of Congress re-

5 SEC. 105. The Congress does not intent for the des-
6 ignation of wilderness areas in section 102 of this Act to
7 lead to the creation of protective perimeters or buffer
8 zones around any such wilderness area. The fact that
9 nonwilderness activities or uses can be seen or heard from
10 areas within a wilderness shall not, of itself, preclude such
11 activities or uses up to the boundary of the wilderness
12 area.

SEC. 106. The Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture shall not approve any plan of operation prior to determining the validity of the unpatented mining claims, mill sites, and tunnel sites affected by such plan within any wilderness area designated under section 102.

SEC. 107. As soon as practicable after enactment of section 102, a map and a legal description on each wilderness area designated under this title shall be filed by the Secretary concerned with the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources of the Senate and the Committee on Natural Resources of the House of Representatives, and

1 each such map and description shall have the same force
2 and effect as if included in this title, except that the Sec-
3 retary may correct clerical and typographical errors in
4 each such legal description and map. Each such map and
5 legal description shall be on file and available for public
6 inspection in the office of the Director of the Bureau of
7 Land Management, Department of the Interior, or the
8 Chief of the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture,
9 as is appropriate.

10 WILDERNESS REVIEW

11 SEC. 108. The Congress hereby finds and directs that
12 lands in the California Desert Conservation Area, of the
13 Bureau of Land Management, not designated as wilder-
14 ness or wilderness study areas by this Act have been ade-
15 quately studied for wilderness designation pursuant to sec-
16 tion 603 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act
17 of 1976 (90 Stat. 2743, 43 U.S.C. 1701 et seq.), and are
18 no longer subject to the requirement of section 603(c) of
19 the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976
20 pertaining to the management of wilderness study areas
21 in a manner that does not impair the suitability of such
22 areas for preservation as wilderness.

23 DESIGNATION OF WILDERNESS STUDY AREA

24 SEC. 109. In furtherance of the provisions of the Wil-
25 derness Act, certain lands in the California Desert Con-
26 servation Area of the Bureau of Land Management which

1 comprise eleven thousand two hundred acres as generally
 2 depicted on a map entitled “White Mountains Wilderness
 3 Study Area—Proposed”, dated May 1991, are hereby des-
 4 ignated the White Mountains Wilderness Study Area and
 5 shall be administered by the Secretary in accordance with
 6 the provisions of section 603(c) of the Federal Land Policy
 7 and Management Act of 1976.

8 SUITABILITY REPORT

9 SEC. 110. The Secretary is required, ten years after
 10 the date of enactment of this Act, to report to Congress
 11 on current and planned exploration, development or min-
 12 ing activities on, and suitability for future wilderness des-
 13 ignation of, the lands as generally depicted on maps enti-
 14 tled “Surprise Canyon Wilderness—Proposed”, “Middle
 15 Park Canyon Wilderness—Proposed”, and “Death Valley
 16 National Park Boundary and Wilderness 15”, dated Sep-
 17 tember 1991 and a map entitled “Manly Peak Wilder-
 18 ness—Proposed”, dated October 1991.

19 WILDERNESS DESIGNATION AND MANAGEMENT IN THE
 20 NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE SYSTEM

21 SEC. 111. (a) In furtherance of the purposes of the
 22 Wilderness Act, the following lands are hereby designated
 23 as wilderness and therefore, as components of the Na-
 24 tional Wilderness Preservation System:

25 (1) Certain lands in the Havasu National Wild-
 26 life Refuge, California, which comprise approxi-

1 mately three thousand one hundred and ninety-five
2 acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
3 “Havasu Wilderness—Proposed”, and dated October
4 1991, and which shall be known as the Havasu Wil-
5 derness.

6 (2) Certain lands in the Imperial National
7 Wildlife Refuge, California, which comprise approxi-
8 mately five thousand eight hundred and thirty-six
9 acres, as generally depicted on two maps entitled
10 “Imperial Refuge Wilderness—Proposed 1” and
11 “Imperial Refuge Wilderness—Proposed 2”, and
12 dated October 1991, and which shall be known as
13 the Imperial Refuge Wilderness.

14 (b) Subject to valid existing rights, the wilderness
15 areas designated under this section shall be administered
16 by the Secretary in accordance with the provisions of the
17 Wilderness Act governing areas designated by that Act as
18 wilderness, except that any reference in such provisions
19 to the effective date of the Wilderness Act (or any similar
20 reference) shall be deemed to be a reference to the date
21 of enactment of this Act.

22 (c) As soon as practicable after enactment of this sec-
23 tion, the Secretary shall file a map and a legal description
24 of each wilderness area designated under this section with
25 the Committees on Energy and Natural Resources and

1 Environment and Public Works of the Senate and Natural
2 Resources and Merchant Marine and Fisheries of the
3 House of Representatives. Such map and description shall
4 have the same force and effect as if included in this Act,
5 except that correction of clerical and typographical errors
6 in such legal description and map may be made. Such map
7 and legal description shall be on file and available for pub-
8 lic inspection in the Office of the Director, United States
9 Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior.

10 TITLE II—DEATH VALLEY NATIONAL PARK

11 FINDINGS

12 SEC. 201. The Congress hereby finds that—

13 (1) proclamations by Presidents Herbert Hoo-
14 ver in 1933 and Franklin Roosevelt in 1937 estab-
15 lished and expanded the Death Valley National
16 Monument for the preservation of the unusual fea-
17 tures of scenic, scientific, and educational interest
18 therein contained;

19 (2) Death Valley National Monument is today
20 recognized as a major unit of the National Park
21 System, having extraordinary values enjoyed by mil-
22 lions of visitors;

23 (3) the Monument boundaries established in the
24 1930's exclude and thereby expose to incompatible
25 development and inconsistent management, contig-

1 uous Federal lands of essential and superlative natu-
 2 ral, ecological, geological, archeological, paleontolog-
 3 ical, cultural, historical and wilderness values;

4 (4) Death Valley National Monument should be
 5 substantially enlarged by the addition of all contig-
 6 uous Federal lands of national park caliber and af-
 7 farded full recognition and statutory protection as a
 8 national park; and

9 (5) the wilderness within Death Valley should
 10 receive maximum statutory protection by designation
 11 pursuant to the Wilderness Act.

12 ESTABLISHMENT OF DEATH VALLEY NATIONAL PARK

13 SEC. 202. There is hereby established the Death Val-
 14 ley National Park, as generally depicted on 23 maps enti-
 15 tled "Death Valley National Park Boundary and Wilder-
 16 ness—Proposed", numbered in the title one through twen-
 17 ty-three, and dated September 1991 or prior, which shall
 18 be on file and available for public inspection in the offices
 19 of the Superintendent of the Park and the Director of the
 20 National Park Service, Department of the Interior. The
 21 Death Valley National Monument is hereby abolished as
 22 such, the lands and interests therein are hereby incor-
 23 porated within and made part of the new Death Valley
 24 National Park, and any funds available for purposes of
 25 the monument shall be available for purposes of the park.

1 TRANSFER AND ADMINISTRATION OF LANDS

2 SEC. 203. Upon enactment of this title, the Secretary
3 shall transfer the lands under the jurisdiction of the Bu-
4 reau of Land Management depicted on the maps described
5 in section 202 of this title, without consideration, to the
6 administrative jurisdiction of the Director of the National
7 Park Service for administration as part of the National
8 Park System. The boundaries of the public lands and the
9 national parks shall be adjusted accordingly. The Sec-
10 retary shall administer the areas added to the National
11 Park System by this title in accordance with the provisions
12 of law generally applicable to units of the National Park
13 System, including the Act entitled "An Act to establish
14 a National Park Service, and for other purposes", ap-
15 proved August 25, 1916 (39 Stat. 535; 16 U.S.C. 1-4).

16 MAPS AND LEGAL DESCRIPTION

17 SEC. 204. Within six months after the enactment of
18 this title, the Secretary shall file maps and a legal descrip-
19 tion of the park designated under this title with the En-
20 ergy and Natural Resources Committee of the Senate and
21 the Natural Resources Committee of the House of Rep-
22 resentatives. Such maps and legal description shall have
23 the same force and effect as if included in this title, except
24 that the Secretary may correct clerical and typographical
25 errors in such legal description and in the maps referred
26 to in section 202. The maps and legal description shall

1 be on file and available for public inspection in the offices
 2 of the Superintendent of the Park and the Director of the
 3 National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

4 DISPOSITION UNDER MINING LAWS

5 SEC. 205. Subject to valid existing rights, the Federal
 6 lands and interests therein added to the National Park
 7 System by this title are withdrawn from disposition under
 8 the public land laws and from entry or appropriation
 9 under the mining laws of the United States, from the oper-
 10 ation of the mineral leasing laws of the United States, and
 11 from operation of the Geothermal Steam Act of 1970.

12 STUDY AS TO VALIDITY OF MINING CLAIMS

13 SEC. 206. The Secretary shall not approve any plan
 14 of operation prior to determining the validity of the
 15 unpatented mining claims, mill sites, and tunnel sites af-
 16 fected by such plan within the additions to the park and
 17 shall submit to Congress recommendations as to whether
 18 any valid or patented claims should be acquired by the
 19 United States, including the estimated acquisition costs of
 20 such claims, and a discussion of the environmental con-
 21 sequences of the extraction of minerals from these lands.

22 GRAZING

23 SEC. 207. The privilege of grazing domestic livestock
 24 on lands within the park may continue to be exercised at
 25 no more than the current level, subject to applicable laws
 26 and National Park Service regulations, by those persons

1 holding permits for such grazing on July 1, 1991. Upon
 2 the expiration of such permits the Secretary, acting
 3 through the Director of the National Park Service, may
 4 issue to such persons new permits for such grazing, sub-
 5 ject to applicable laws and National Park Service regula-
 6 tions, but all grazing of such livestock on such lands shall
 7 cease on July 1, 2016. Further, if such a permittee in-
 8 forms the Secretary that such permittee is willing to con-
 9 vey to the United States any base property with respect
 10 to which the permit was issued and to which such permit-
 11 tee holds title, the Secretary shall make the acquisition
 12 of such base property a priority as compared with the ac-
 13 quisition of other lands within the park, provided agree-
 14 ment can be reached concerning the terms and conditions
 15 of such acquisition. Any such base property which is lo-
 16 cated outside the park and acquired as a priority pursuant
 17 to this section shall be managed by the Federal agency
 18 responsible for the majority of the adjacent lands in ac-
 19 cordance with the laws applicable to such adjacent lands.

20 TITLE III—JOSHUA TREE NATIONAL PARK

21 FINDINGS

22 SEC. 301. The Congress hereby finds that—

23 (1) a proclamation by President Franklin Roo-
 24 sevelt in 1936 established Joshua Tree National

1 Monument to protect various objects of historical
2 and scientific interest;

3 (2) Joshua Tree National Monument today is
4 recognized as a major unit of the National Park
5 System, having extraordinary values enjoyed by mil-
6 lions of visitors;

7 (3) the Monument boundaries as modified in
8 1950 and 1961 exclude and thereby expose to in-
9 compatible development and inconsistent manage-
10 ment, contiguous Federal lands of essential and su-
11 perlative natural, ecological, archeological, paleon-
12 tological, cultural, historical and wilderness values;

13 (4) Joshua Tree National Monument should be
14 enlarged by the addition of contiguous Federal lands
15 of national park caliber, and afforded full recogni-
16 tion and statutory protection as a national park; and

17 (5) the nondesignated wilderness within Joshua
18 Tree should receive statutory protection by designa-
19 tion pursuant to the Wilderness Act.

20 ESTABLISHMENT OF JOSHUA TREE NATIONAL PARK

21 SEC. 302. There is hereby established the Joshua
22 Tree National Park, as generally depicted on a map enti-
23 tled "Joshua Tree National Park Boundary—Proposed",
24 dated May 1991, and four maps entitled "Joshua Tree
25 National Park Boundary and Wilderness", numbered in
26 the title one through four, and dated October 1991 or

1 prior, which shall be on file and available for public inspec-
2 tion in the offices of the Superintendent of the Park and
3 the Director of the National Park Service, Department of
4 the Interior. The Joshua Tree National Monument is here-
5 by abolished as such, the lands and interests therein are
6 hereby incorporated within and made part of the new
7 Joshua Tree National Park, and any funds available for
8 purposes of the monument shall be available for purposes
9 of the park.

10 TRANSFER AND ADMINISTRATION OF LANDS

11 SEC. 303. Upon enactment of this title, the Secretary
12 shall transfer the lands under the jurisdiction of the Bu-
13 reau of Land Management depicted on the maps described
14 in section 302 of this title, without consideration, to the
15 administrative jurisdiction of the Director of the National
16 Park Service for administration as part of the National
17 Park System. The boundaries of the public lands and the
18 national parks shall be adjusted accordingly. The Sec-
19 retary shall administer the areas added to the National
20 Park System by this title in accordance with the provisions
21 of law generally applicable to units of the National Park
22 System, including the Act entitled "An Act to establish
23 a National Park Service, and for other purposes", ap-
24 proved August 25, 1916 (39 Stat. 535; 16 U.S.C. 1-4).

1 MAPS AND LEGAL DESCRIPTION

2 SEC. 304. Within six months after the enactment of
3 this title, the Secretary shall file maps and legal descrip-
4 tion of the park designated by this title with the Energy
5 and Natural Resources Committee of the Senate and the
6 Natural Resources Committee of the House of Represent-
7 atives. Such maps and legal description shall have the
8 same force and effect as if included in this title, except
9 that the Secretary may correct clerical and typographical
10 errors in such legal description and in the maps referred
11 to in section 302. The maps and legal description shall
12 be on file and available for public inspection in the offices
13 of the Superintendent of the Park and the Director of the
14 National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

15 DISPOSITION UNDER MINING LAWS

16 SEC. 305. Subject to valid existing rights, Federal
17 lands and interests therein added to the National Park
18 System by this title are withdrawn from disposition under
19 the public lands laws and from entry or appropriation
20 under the mining laws of the United States, from the oper-
21 ation of the mineral leasing laws of the United States, and
22 from the operation of the Geothermal Steam Act of 1970.

23 UTILITY RIGHTS-OF-WAY

24 SEC. 306. Nothing in this title shall have the effect
25 of terminating any validly issued right-of-way or cus-
26 tomary operation maintenance, repair, and replacement

1 activities in such right-of-way, issued, granted, or per-
 2 mitted to the Metropolitan Water District pursuant to the
 3 Boulder Canyon Project Act (43 U.S.C. 617–619b), which
 4 is located on lands included in the Joshua Tree National
 5 Park, but outside lands designated as wilderness under
 6 section 501(2). Such activities shall be conducted in a
 7 manner which will minimize the impact on park resources.
 8 Nothing in this title shall have the effect of terminating
 9 the fee title to lands or customary operation, maintenance,
 10 repair, and replacement activities on or under such lands
 11 granted to the Metropolitan Water District pursuant to
 12 the Act on June 18, 1932 (47 Stat. 324), which are lo-
 13 cated on lands included in the Joshua Tree National Park,
 14 but outside lands designated as wilderness under section
 15 501(2). Such activities shall be conducted in a manner
 16 which will minimize the impact on park resources. The
 17 Secretary shall prepare within 180 days after the date of
 18 enactment of this Act, in consultation with the Metropoli-
 19 tan Water District, plans for emergency access by the
 20 Metropolitan Water District to its lands and rights-of-way.

21 STUDY AS TO VALIDITY OF MINING CLAIMS

22 SEC. 307. The Secretary shall not approve any plan
 23 of operation prior to determining the validity of the
 24 unpatented mining claims, mill sites, and tunnel sites af-
 25 fected by such plan within the park and shall submit to
 26 Congress recommendations as to whether any valid or pat-

1 ented claims should be acquired by the United States, in-
2 cluding the estimated acquisition costs of such claims, and
3 a discussion of the environmental consequences of the ex-
4 traction of minerals from these lands.

5 TITLE IV—MOJAVE NATIONAL PARK

6 FINDINGS

7 SEC. 401. The Congress hereby finds that—

8 (1) Death Valley and Joshua Tree National
9 Parks, as established by this Act, protect unique and
10 superlative desert resources, but do not embrace the
11 particular ecosystems and transitional desert type
12 found in the Mojave Desert area lying between them
13 on public lands now afforded only impermanent ad-
14 ministrative designation as a national scenic area;

15 (2) the Mojave Desert area possesses outstand-
16 ing natural, cultural, historical, and recreational val-
17 ues meriting statutory designation and recognition
18 as a unit of the National Park System;

19 (3) the Mojave Desert area should be afforded
20 full recognition and statutory protection as a na-
21 tional park;

22 (4) the wilderness within the Mojave Desert
23 should receive maximum statutory protection by des-
24 ignation pursuant to the Wilderness Act; and

SEC. 402. There is hereby established the Mojave Na-
tional Park, comprising approximately one million four
hundred and sixty thousand acres, as generally depicted
on a map entitled “Mojave National Park Boundary—
Proposed”, dated July 1992, and ten maps entitled “Mo-
jave National Park Boundary and Wilderness—Pro-
posed”, numbered in the title one through ten, and dated
July 1992 or prior, which shall be on file and available
for inspection in the offices of the Director of the National
Park Service, Department of the Interior.

SEC. 403. Upon enactment of this title, the Secretary shall transfer the lands under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Land Management depicted on the maps described in section 402 of this title, without consideration, to the administrative jurisdiction of the Director of the National

1 Park Service. The boundaries of the public lands shall be
2 adjusted accordingly.

3 MAPS AND LEGAL DESCRIPTION

4 SEC. 404. Within six months after the enactment of
5 this title, the Secretary shall file maps and a legal descrip-
6 tion of the park designated under this title with the En-
7 ergy and Natural Resources Committee of the Senate and
8 the Natural Resources Committee of the House of Rep-
9 resentatives. Such maps and legal description shall have
10 the same force and effect as if included in this title, except
11 that the Secretary may correct clerical and typographical
12 errors in such legal description and in the maps referred
13 to in section 402. The maps and legal description shall
14 be on file and available for public inspection in the offices
15 of the National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

16 ABOLISHMENT OF SCENIC AREA

17 SEC. 405. The East Mojave Scenic Area, designated
18 on January 13, 1981 (46 FR 3994), and modified on Au-
19 gust 9, 1983 (48 FR 36210), is hereby abolished.

20 ADMINISTRATION OF LANDS

21 SEC. 406. The Secretary shall administer the park
22 in accordance with this title and with the provisions of
23 law generally applicable to units of the National Park Sys-
24 tem, including the Act entitled “An Act to establish a Na-
25 tional Park Service, and for other purposes”, approved
26 August 25, 1916 (39 Stat. 535; 16 U.S.C. 1–4).

1 DISPOSITION UNDER MINING LAWS

2 SEC. 407. Subject to valid existing rights, Federal
3 lands within the park, and interests therein, are with-
4 drawn from disposition under the public land laws and
5 from entry or appropriation under the mining laws of the
6 United States, from the operation of the mineral leasing
7 laws of the United States, and from operation of the Geo-
8 thermal Steam Act of 1970.

9 STUDY AS TO VALIDITY OF MINING CLAIMS

10 SEC. 408. The Secretary shall not approve any plan
11 of operation prior to determining the validity of the
12 unpatented mining claims, mill sites, and tunnel sites af-
13 fected by such plan within the park and shall submit to
14 Congress recommendations as to whether any valid or pat-
15 ented claims should be acquired by the United States, in-
16 cluding the estimated acquisition costs of such claims, and
17 a discussion of the environmental consequences of the ex-
18 traction of minerals from these lands.

19 REGULATION OF MINING

20 SEC. 409. Subject to valid existing rights, all mining
21 claims located within the park shall be subject to such rea-
22 sonable regulations as the Secretary may prescribe to as-
23 sure that mining will, to the maximum extent practicable,
24 be consistent with the protection of the scenic, scientific,
25 cultural and other resources of the park, and any patent
26 which may be issued after the date of enactment of this

1 title shall convey title only to the minerals together with
2 the right to use the surface of lands for mining purposes
3 subject to such reasonable regulations.

4 GRAZING

5 SEC. 410. The privilege of grazing domestic livestock
6 on lands within the park may continue to be exercised at
7 no more than the current level, subject to applicable laws
8 and National Park Service regulations, by those persons
9 holding permits for such grazing on July 1, 1991. Upon
10 the expiration of such permits the Secretary, acting
11 through the Director of the National Park Service, may
12 issue to such persons new permits for such grazing, sub-
13 ject to applicable laws and National Park Service regula-
14 tions, but all grazing of such livestock on such lands shall
15 cease on July 1, 2016. Further, if such a permittee in-
16 forms the Secretary that such permittee is willing to con-
17 vey to the United States any base property with respect
18 to which the permit was issued and to which such permit-
19 tee holds title, the Secretary shall make the acquisition
20 of such base property a priority as compared with the ac-
21 quisition of other lands within the park, provided agree-
22 ment can be reached concerning the terms and conditions
23 of such acquisition. Any such base property which is lo-
24 cated outside the park and acquired as a priority pursuant
25 to this section shall be managed by the Federal agency

1 responsible for the majority of the adjacent lands in ac-
 2 cordance with the laws applicable to such adjacent lands.

3 UTILITY RIGHTS OF WAY

4 SEC. 411. (a)(1) Nothing in this title shall have the
 5 effect of terminating any validly issued right-of-way or
 6 customary operation, maintenance, repair, and replace-
 7 ment activities in such right-of-way, issued, granted, or
 8 permitted to Southern California Edison Company, which
 9 is located on lands included in the Mojave National Park,
 10 but outside lands designated as wilderness under section
 11 501(3). Such activities shall be conducted in a manner
 12 which will minimize the impact on park resources.

13 (2) Nothing in this title shall have the effect of
 14 prohibiting the upgrading of an existing electrical
 15 transmission line for the purpose of increasing the
 16 capacity of such transmission line in the Southern
 17 California Edison Company validly issued Eldorado-
 18 Lugo Transmission Line right-of-way and Mojave-
 19 Lugo Transmission Line right-of-way, or in a right-
 20 of-way if issued, granted, or permitted by the Sec-
 21 retary adjacent to the existing Mojave-Lugo Trans-
 22 mission Line right-of-way (hereafter in this section
 23 referred to as “adjacent right-of-way”), including
 24 construction of a replacement transmission line: *Pro-*
 25 *vided, That—*

1 (A) in the Eldorado-Lugo Transmission
2 Line rights-of-way (hereafter in this section re-
3 ferred to as the “Eldorado rights-of-way”) at
4 no time shall there be more than 3 electrical
5 transmission lines,

6 (B) in the Mojave-Lugo Transmission Line
7 right-of-way (hereafter in this section referred
8 to as the “Mojave right-of-way”) and adjacent
9 right-of-way, removal of the existing electrical
10 transmission line and reclamation of the site
11 shall be completed no later than three years
12 after the date on which construction of the up-
13 graded transmission line begins, after which
14 time there may be only one electrical trans-
15 mission line in the lands encompassed by Mo-
16 jave right-of-way and adjacent right-of-way,

17 (C) if there are no more than two electrical
18 transmission lines in the Eldorado rights-of-
19 way, two electrical transmission lines in the
20 lands encompassed by the Mojave right-of-way
21 and adjacent right-of-way may be allowed,

22 (D) in the Eldorado rights-of-way and Mo-
23 jave right-of-way no additional land shall be is-
24 sued, granted, or permitted for such upgrade

1 unless an addition would reduce the impacts to
2 park resources;

3 ~~(E) no more than 350 feet of additional~~
4 ~~land shall be issued, granted, or permitted for~~
5 ~~an adjacent right-of-way to the south of the~~
6 ~~Mojave right-of-way unless a greater addition~~
7 ~~would reduce the impacts to park resources;~~
8 ~~and~~

9 ~~(F) such upgrade activities, including heli-~~
10 ~~copter aided construction, shall be conducted in~~
11 ~~a manner which will minimize the impact on~~
12 ~~park resources.~~

13 ~~(3) The Secretary shall prepare within 180 days~~
14 ~~after the date of enactment of this Act, in consulta-~~
15 ~~tion with the Southern California Edison Company,~~
16 ~~plans for emergency access by the Southern Califor-~~
17 ~~nia Edison Company to its rights-of-way.~~

18 ~~(b) Nothing in this title shall have the effect of termi-~~
19 ~~nating any validly issued right-of-way, or customary oper-~~
20 ~~ation, maintenance, repair, and replacement activities in~~
21 ~~such right-of-way; prohibiting the upgrading of and con-~~
22 ~~struction on existing facilities in such right-of-way for the~~
23 ~~purpose of increasing the capacity of the existing pipeline;~~
24 ~~or prohibiting the renewal of such right-of-way; issued,~~
25 ~~granted, or permitted to the Southern California Gas~~

1 Company, which is located on lands included in the Mojave
2 National Park, but outside lands designated as wilderness
3 under section 501(3). Such activities shall be conducted
4 in a manner which will minimize the impact on park re-
5 sources.

6 (c) Nothing in this title shall have the effect of termi-
7 nating any validly issued right-of-way or customary oper-
8 ation, maintenance, repair, and replacement activities of
9 existing facilities issued, granted, or permitted for commu-
10 nications cables or lines, which are located on lands in-
11 cluded in the Mojave National Park, but outside lands des-
12 ignated as wilderness under section 501(3). Such activities
13 shall be conducted in a manner which will minimize the
14 impact on park resources.

15 PREPARATION OF MANAGEMENT PLAN

16 SEC. 412. Within three years of the date of enact-
17 ment of this title, the Secretary shall submit to the Energy
18 and Natural Resources Committee of the Senate and the
19 Natural Resources Committee of the House of Represent-
20 atives a detailed and comprehensive management plan for
21 the park. Such plan shall place emphasis on historical and
22 cultural sites and ecological and wilderness values within
23 the boundaries of the park. Any development, including
24 road improvements, proposed by such plan shall be strictly
25 limited to that which is essential and appropriate for the
26 administration of the park and shall be designed and lo-

1 cated so as to maintain its primitive nature of the area
2 and to minimize the impairment of park resources or eco-
3 logical values. To the extent practicable, administrative fa-
4 cilities, employee housing, commercial visitor services, ac-
5 commodations, and other park-related development shall
6 be located or provided for outside of the boundaries of the
7 park. Such plan shall evaluate the feasibility of using the
8 Kelso Depot and existing railroad corridor to provide pub-
9 lic access to and a facility for special interpretive, edu-
10 cational, and scientific programs within the park. Such
11 plan shall specifically address the needs of individuals with
12 disabilities in the design of services, programs, accom-
13 modations and facilities consistent with section 504 of the
14 Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Public Law 101-336, the
15 Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C.
16 12101), and other appropriate laws and regulations.

17 GRANITE MOUNTAINS NATURAL RESERVE

18 SEC. 413. (a) There is hereby designated the Granite
19 Mountains Natural Reserve within the park comprising
20 approximately nine thousand acres as generally depicted
21 on a map entitled “Mojave National Park Boundary and
22 Wilderness—Proposed 6”, dated May 1991.

23 (b) Upon enactment of this title, the Secretary of the
24 Interior shall enter into a cooperative management agree-
25 ment with the University of California for the purposes
26 of managing the lands within the Granite Mountains Nat-

1 ural Reserve. Such cooperative agreement shall ensure
 2 continuation of arid lands research and educational activi-
 3 ties of the University of California, consistent with the
 4 provisions of law generally applicable to units of the Na-
 5 tional Park System.

6 SODA SPRINGS DESERT STUDY CENTER

7 SEC. 414. Upon enactment of this title, the Secretary
 8 shall enter into a cooperative management agreement with
 9 California State University for the purposes of managing
 10 facilities at the Soda Springs Desert Study Center. Such
 11 cooperative agreement shall ensure continuation of the
 12 desert research and educational activities of California
 13 State University, consistent with the provisions of law gen-
 14 erally applicable to units of the National Park System.

15 CONSTRUCTION OF VISITOR CENTER

16 SEC. 415. The Secretary is authorized to construct
 17 a visitor center in the park for the purpose of providing
 18 information through appropriate displays, printed mate-
 19 rial, and other interpretive programs, about the resources
 20 of the park.

21 ACQUISITION OF LANDS

22 SEC. 416. The Secretary is authorized to acquire all
 23 lands and interest in lands within the boundary of the
 24 park by donation, purchase, or exchange, except that—

25 (1) any lands or interests therein within the
 26 boundary of the park which are owned by the State

1 of California, or any political subdivision thereof,
 2 may be acquired only by donation or exchange ex-
 3 cept for lands managed by California State Lands
 4 Commission; and

5 (2) lands or interests therein within the bound-
 6 ary of the park which are not owned by the State
 7 of California or any political subdivision thereof may
 8 be acquired only with the consent of the owner
 9 thereof unless the Secretary determines, after writ-
 10 ten notice to the owner and after opportunity for
 11 comment, that the property is being developed, or
 12 proposed to be developed, in a manner which is det-
 13 rimental to the integrity of the park or which is oth-
 14 erwise incompatible with the purposes of this title.

15 SUITABILITY REPORT

16 SEC. 417. The Secretary is required, twenty years
 17 after the date of enactment of this Act, to report to Con-
 18 gress on current and planned exploration, development or
 19 mining activities on, and suitability for future park des-
 20 ignation of, the lands as generally depicted on a map enti-
 21 tled "Mojave National Park Study Area—Proposed",
 22 dated July 1992.

23 TITLE V—NATIONAL PARK WILDERNESS

24 DESIGNATION OF WILDERNESS

25 SEC. 501. The following lands are hereby designated
 26 as wilderness in accordance with the Wilderness Act (78

1 Stat. 890; 16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.) and shall be adminis-
2 tered by the Secretary of the Interior in accordance with
3 the applicable provisions of the Wilderness Act:

4 (1) Death Valley National Park Wilderness,
5 comprising approximately three million one hundred
6 eighty-three thousand four hundred and thirty-eight
7 acres, as generally depicted on 23 maps entitled
8 “Death Valley National Park Boundary and Wilder-
9 ness”, numbered in the title one through twenty-
10 three, and dated September 1991 or prior, and three
11 maps entitled “Death Valley National Park Wilder-
12 ness”, numbered in the title one through three, and
13 dated May 1991 or prior, and which shall be known
14 as the Death Valley Wilderness;

15 (2) Joshua Tree National Park Wilderness Ad-
16 ditions, comprising approximately one hundred thir-
17 ty-one thousand seven hundred and eighty acres, as
18 generally depicted on four maps entitled “Joshua
19 Tree National Park Boundary and Wilderness—Pro-
20 posed”, numbered in the title one through four, and
21 dated October 1991 or prior, and which are hereby
22 incorporated in, and which shall be deemed to be a
23 part of the Joshua Tree Wilderness as designated by
24 Public Law 94-567; and

1 (3) Mojave National Park Wilderness, compris-
2 ing approximately six hundred ninety-five thousand
3 fifty-six acres, as generally depicted on ten maps en-
4 titled “Mojave National Park Boundary and Wilder-
5 ness—Proposed”, numbered in the title one through
6 ten, and dated October 1991 or prior, and seven
7 maps entitled “Mojave National Park Wilderness—
8 Proposed”, numbered in the title one through seven,
9 and dated October 1991 or prior, and which shall be
10 known as the Mojave Wilderness.

11 (4) Upon cessation of all uses prohibited by the
12 Wilderness Act and publication by the Secretary in
13 the Federal Register of notice of such cessation, po-
14 tential wilderness, comprising approximately six
15 thousand eight hundred and forty acres, as de-
16 scribed in “1988 Death Valley National Monument
17 Draft General Management Plan Draft Environ-
18 mental Impact Statement” (hereafter in this title re-
19 ferred to as “Draft Plan”) and as generally depicted
20 on map in the Draft Plan entitled “Wilderness Plan
21 Death Valley National Monument”, dated January
22 1988, and which shall be deemed to be a part of the
23 Death Valley Wilderness as designated in paragraph
24 (1). Lands identified in the Draft Plan as potential
25 wilderness shall be managed by the Secretary insofar

1 as practicable as wilderness until such time as said
2 lands are designated as wilderness.

3 FILING OF MAPS AND DESCRIPTIONS

4 ~~SEC. 502.~~ Maps and a legal description of the bound-
5 aries of the areas designated in section 501 of this title
6 shall be on file and available for public inspection in the
7 Office of the Director of the National Park Service, De-
8 partment of the Interior, and in the Office of the Super-
9 intendent of each area designated in section 501. As soon
10 as practicable after this title takes effect, maps of the wil-
11 derness areas and legal descriptions of their boundaries
12 shall be filed with the Committee on Energy and Natural
13 Resources of the Senate and the Committee on Natural
14 Resources of the House of Representatives, and such maps
15 and descriptions shall have the same force and effect as
16 if included in this title, except that the Secretary may cor-
17 rect clerical and typographical errors in such maps and
18 descriptions.

19 ADMINISTRATION OF WILDERNESS AREAS

20 ~~SEC. 503.~~ The areas designated by section 501 of this
21 title as wilderness shall be administered by the Secretary
22 in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Wilder-
23 ness Act governing areas designated by that title as wil-
24 derness, except that any reference in such provision to the
25 effective date of the Wilderness Act shall be deemed to
26 be a reference to the effective date of this title, and where

1 appropriate, and reference to the Secretary of Agriculture
 2 shall be deemed to be a reference to the Secretary of the
 3 Interior.

4 TITLE VI—MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

5 TRANSFER OF LANDS TO RED ROCK CANYON STATE PARK

6 SEC. 601. Upon enactment of this title, the Secretary
 7 of the Interior shall transfer to the State of California cer-
 8 tain lands within the California Desert Conservation Area,
 9 California, of the Bureau of Land Management, compris-
 10 ing approximately twenty thousand five hundred acres, as
 11 generally depicted on two maps entitled “Red Rock Can-
 12 yon State Park Additions 1” and “Red Rock Canyon State
 13 Park Additions 2”, dated May 1991, for inclusion in the
 14 State of California Park System. Should the State of Cali-
 15 fornia cease to manage these lands as part of the State
 16 Park System, ownership of the lands shall revert to the
 17 Department of the Interior to be managed as part of the
 18 California Desert Conservation Area to provide maximum
 19 protection for the area’s scenic and scientific values.

20 DESERT LILY SANCTUARY

21 SEC. 602. (a) There is hereby established the Desert
 22 Lily Sanctuary within the California Desert Conservation
 23 Area, California, of the Bureau of Land Management,
 24 comprising approximately two thousand forty acres, as
 25 generally depicted on a map entitled “Desert Lily Sanc-
 26 tuary”, dated February 1986. The Secretary of the Inte-

rior shall administer the area to provide maximum protection to the desert lily.

(b) Subject to valid existing rights, Federal lands within the sanctuary, interests therein, are withdrawn from disposition under the public land laws and from entry or appropriation under the mining laws of the United States, from the operation of the mineral leasing laws of the United States, and from operation of the Geothermal Steam Act of 1970.

LAND TENURE ADJUSTMENTS

SEC. 603. In preparing land tenure adjustment decisions with the California Desert Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management, the Secretary shall give priority to consolidating Federal ownership within the national park units and wilderness areas designated by this Act.

LAND DISPOSAL

SEC. 604. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture may not dispose of any lands within the boundaries of the wilderness or park designated under this Act or grant a right-of-way in any lands within the boundaries of the wilderness designated under this Act. Further, none of the lands within the boundaries of the wilderness or park designated under this Act shall be granted to or otherwise made available for use by the Metropolitan Water

1 District and any other agencies or persons pursuant to
2 the Boulder Canyon Project Act (43 U.S.C. 617–619b)
3 or any similar acts.

4 MANAGEMENT OF NEWLY ACQUIRED LANDS

5 SEC. 605. Any lands within the boundaries of a wil-
6 derness area designated under this Act which are acquired
7 by the Federal government, shall become part of the wil-
8 derness area within which they are located and shall be
9 managed in accordance with all the provisions of this Act
10 and other laws applicable to such wilderness area.

11 NATIVE AMERICAN USES

12 SEC. 606. In recognition of the past use of the parks
13 and wilderness areas designed under this Act by Indian
14 people for traditional cultural and religious purposes, the
15 Secretary shall ensure access to such parks and wilderness
16 areas by Indian people for such traditional cultural and
17 religious purposes. In implementing this section, the Sec-
18 retary, upon the request of an Indian tribe or Indian reli-
19 gious community, shall temporarily close to the general
20 public use of one or more specific portions of park or wil-
21 derness in order to protect the privacy of traditional cul-
22 tural and religious activities in such areas by Indian peo-
23 ple. Such access shall be consistent with the purpose and
24 intent of Public Law 95–341 (42 U.S.C. 1996) commonly
25 referred to as the “American Indian Religious Freedom

1 Act'', and with respect to areas designated as wilderness,
2 the Wilderness Act (78 Stat. 890; 16 U.S.C. 1131).

3 WATER RIGHTS

4 SEC. 607. (a) With respect to each wilderness area
5 designated by this Act, Congress hereby reserves a quan-
6 tity of water sufficient to fulfill the purposes of this Act.
7 The priority date of such reserved water rights shall be
8 the date of enactment of this Act.

9 (b) The Secretary of the Interior and all other offi-
10 cers of the United States shall take all steps necessary
11 to protect the rights reserved by this section, including the
12 filing by the Secretary of a claim for the quantification
13 of such rights in any present or future appropriate stream
14 adjudication in the courts of the State of California in
15 which the United States is or may be joined and which
16 is conducted in accordance with section 208 of the Act
17 of July 10, 1952 (66 Stat. 560, 44 U.S.C. 666; commonly
18 referred to as the McCarran Amendment).

19 (c) Nothing in this Act shall be construed as a relin-
20 quishment or reduction of any water rights reserved or
21 appropriated by the United States in the State of Califor-
22 nia on or before the date of enactment of this Act.

23 (d) The Federal water rights reserved by this Act are
24 specific to the wilderness areas located in the State of
25 California designated under this Act. Nothing in this Act
26 related to the reserved Federal water rights shall be con-

1 strued as establishing a precedent with regard to any fu-
 2 ture designations, nor shall it constitute an interpretation
 3 of any other Act or any designation made thereto.

4 AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS

5 SEC. 608. There are hereby authorized to be appro-
 6 priated such sums as may be necessary to carry out the
 7 purposes of this Act.

8 STATE SCHOOL LANDS

9 SEC. 609. (a) Upon request of the California State
 10 Lands Commission (hereinafter in this section referred to
 11 as the "Commission"), the Secretary shall enter into nego-
 12 tiations for an agreement to exchange Federal lands or
 13 interests therein on the list referred to in subsection (b)(2)
 14 for California State School Lands (hereinafter in this sec-
 15 tion referred to as "State School Lands") or interests
 16 therein which are located within the boundaries of one or
 17 more of the wilderness areas or park units designated by
 18 this Act. The Secretary shall negotiate in good faith to
 19 reach a land exchange agreement consistent with the re-
 20 quirements of section 206 of the Federal Land Policy and
 21 Management Act of 1976.

22 (b) Within six months after the date of enactment
 23 of this Act, the Secretary shall send to the Commission
 24 and to the Committees a list of the following:

25 (1) The State School Lands or interests therein
 26 (including mineral interests) which are located with-

1 in the boundaries of the wilderness areas or park
2 units designated by this Act.

3 ~~(2)~~ Lands under the Secretary's jurisdiction to
4 be offered for exchange, including in the following
5 priority:

6 ~~(A)~~ Lands with mineral interests, including
7 geothermal, which have the potential for com-
8 mercial development but which are not cur-
9 rently under mineral lease or producing Federal
10 mineral revenues.

11 ~~(B)~~ Federal lands in California managed
12 by the Bureau of Reclamation that the Sec-
13 retary determines are not needed for any Bu-
14 reau of Reclamation project.

15 ~~(C)~~ Any public lands in California that the
16 Secretary, pursuant to the Federal Land Policy
17 and Management Act of 1976, has determined
18 to be suitable for disposal through exchange.

19 ~~(c)(1)~~ If an agreement under this section is for an
20 exchange involving five thousand acres or less of Federal
21 land or interests therein, or Federal lands valued at less
22 than \$5,000,000, the Secretary may carry out the ex-
23 change in accordance with the Federal Land Policy and
24 Management Act of 1976.

1 ~~(2) If an agreement under this section is for an ex-~~
2 ~~change involving more than five thousand acres of Federal~~
3 ~~land or interests therein, or Federal land valued at more~~
4 ~~than \$5,000,000, the agreement shall be submitted to the~~
5 ~~Committees, together with a report containing—~~

6 ~~(A) a complete list and appraisal of the lands~~
7 ~~or interests in lands proposed for exchange; and~~

8 ~~(B) a determination that the State School~~
9 ~~Lands proposed to be acquired by the United States~~
10 ~~do not contain any hazardous waste, toxic waste, or~~
11 ~~radioactive waste.~~

12 ~~(d) An agreement submitted under subsection (c)(2)~~
13 ~~shall not take effect unless approved by a joint resolution~~
14 ~~enacted by the Congress.~~

15 ~~(e) If exchanges of all the State School Lands are~~
16 ~~not completed by October 1, 1996, the Secretary shall ad-~~
17 ~~just the appraised value of any remaining inholdings con-~~
18 ~~sistent with the provisions of section 206 of the Federal~~
19 ~~Land Management Policy Act of 1976. The Secretary~~
20 ~~shall establish an account in the name of the Commission~~
21 ~~in the amount of such appraised value. Title to the State~~
22 ~~School Lands shall be transferred to the United States~~
23 ~~at the time such account is credited.~~

24 ~~(f) The Commission may use the credit in its account~~
25 ~~to bid, as any other bidder, for excess or surplus Federal~~

1 property to be sold in the State of California in accordance
 2 with the applicable laws and regulations of the Federal
 3 agency offering such property for sale. The account shall
 4 be adjusted to reflect successful bids under this section
 5 or payments or forfeited deposits, penalties, or other costs
 6 assessed to the bidder in the course of such sales. In the
 7 event that the balance in the account has not been reduced
 8 to zero by October 1, 2000, there are authorized to be
 9 appropriated to the Secretary for payment to the Califor-
 10 nia State Lands Commission funds equivalent to the bal-
 11 ance remaining in the account as of October 1, 2000.

12 ~~(g)~~ As used in this section, the term "Committees"
 13 means the Committee on Natural Resources of the House
 14 of Representatives and the Committee on Energy and
 15 Natural Resources of the Senate.

16 EXCHANGES

17 SEC. 610. (a) Upon request of the Catellus Develop-
 18 ment Corporation (hereafter in this section referred to as
 19 "Catellus"), the Secretary shall enter into negotiations for
 20 an agreement or agreements to exchange Federal lands
 21 or interests therein on the list referred to in subsection
 22 ~~(b)(2)~~ of this section for lands of Catellus or interests
 23 therein which are located within the boundaries of one or
 24 more of the wilderness areas or park units designated by
 25 this Act.

1 (b) Within six months after the date of enactment
2 of this Act, the Secretary shall send to Catellus and to
3 the Committees a list of the following:

4 (1) Lands of Catellus or interests therein (in-
5 cluding mineral interests) which are located within
6 the boundaries of the wilderness areas or park units
7 designated by this Act.

8 (2) Lands, wherever located, under the Sec-
9 retary's jurisdiction to be offered for exchange, in
10 the following priority:

11 (A) Lands, including lands with mineral
12 and geothermal interests, which have the poten-
13 tial for commercial development but which are
14 not currently under lease or producing Federal
15 revenues.

16 (B) Federal lands managed by the Bureau
17 of Reclamation that the Secretary determines
18 are not needed for any Bureau of Reclamation
19 project.

20 (C) Any public lands that the Secretary,
21 pursuant to the Federal Land Policy and Man-
22 agement Act of 1976, has determined to be
23 suitable for disposal through exchange.

24 (c)(1) If an agreement under this section is for (A)
25 an exchange involving lands outside the State of Califor-

1 nia, (B) more than five thousand acres of Federal land
2 or interests therein in California, or (C) Federal lands in
3 any State valued at more than \$5,000,000, the Secretary
4 shall provide to the Committees a detailed report of such
5 land exchange agreements.

6 (2) All land exchange agreements shall be consistent
7 with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of
8 1976.

9 (3) Any report submitted to the Committees under
10 this subsection shall include the following:

11 (A) A complete list and appraisal of the lands
12 or interests in land proposed for exchange.

13 (B) A complete list of the lands, if any, to be
14 acquired by the United States which contain any
15 hazardous waste, toxic waste, or radioactive waste
16 which requires removal or remedial action under
17 Federal or State law, together with the estimated
18 costs of any such action.

19 (4) An agreement under this subsection shall not take
20 effect unless approved by a joint resolution enacted by the
21 Congress.

22 (d) The Secretary shall provide the California State
23 Lands Commission with a 180-day right of first refusal
24 to exchange for any Federal lands or interests therein, lo-
25 cated in the State of California, on the list referred to

1 in subsection (b)(2). Any lands with respect to which a
2 right of first refusal is not noticed within such period or
3 exercised under this subsection shall be available to
4 Catellus for exchange in accordance with this section.

5 (e) On January 3, 1996, the Secretary shall provide
6 to the Committees a list and appraisal consistent with the
7 Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 of all
8 Catellus lands eligible for exchange under this section for
9 which an exchange has not been completed. With respect
10 to any of such lands for which an exchange has not been
11 completed by October 1, 1996 (hereafter in this section
12 referred to as "remaining lands"), the Secretary shall es-
13 tablish an account in the name of Catellus (hereafter in
14 this section referred to as the "exchange account"). Upon
15 the transfer of title by Catellus to all or a portion of the
16 remaining lands to the United States, the Secretary shall
17 credit the exchange account in the amount of the ap-
18 praised value of the transferred remaining lands at the
19 time of such transfer.

20 (f) Catellus may use the credit in the exchange ac-
21 count to bid, as any other bidder, for any property real,
22 personal, or mixed, wherever located, owned or controlled
23 by the United States, including in a corporate capacity
24 or as a receiver, conservator, or similar fiduciary capacity
25 to be sold in accordance with the applicable laws and regu-

1 lations of the Federal agency or instrumentality, or any
2 element thereof, offering such property for sale. Upon ap-
3 proval by the Secretary in writing, the credits in Catellus's
4 exchange account may be transferred or sold in whole or
5 in part by Catellus to any other party, thereby vesting
6 such party with all the rights formerly held by Catellus.
7 The exchange account shall be adjusted to reflect success-
8 ful bids under this section or payments or forfeited depos-
9 its, penalties, or other costs assessed to the bidder in the
10 course of such sales.

11 ~~(g)(1)~~ The Secretary shall not accept title pursuant
12 to this section to any lands unless such title includes all
13 right, title, and interest in and to the fee estate.

14 ~~(2)~~ Notwithstanding paragraph ~~(1)~~, the Secretary
15 may accept title to any subsurface estate where the United
16 States holds title to the surface estate.

17 ~~(3)~~ This subsection does not apply to easements and
18 rights-of-way for utilities or roads.

19 ~~(h)~~ In no event shall the Secretary accept title under
20 this section to lands which contain any hazardous waste,
21 toxic waste, or radioactive waste which requires removal
22 or remedial action under Federal or State law unless such
23 remedial action has been completed prior to the transfer.

1 (i) For purposes of the section, any appraisal shall
 2 be consistent with the provisions of section 206 of the Fed-
 3 eral Land Policy and Management Act of 1976.

4 (j) As used in this section, the term “Committees”
 5 means the Committee on Natural Resources of the House
 6 of Representatives and the Committee on Energy and
 7 Natural Resources of the Senate.

8 TITLE VII—DEFINITIONS

9 SEC. 701. For the purposes of this Act:

10 (1) The term “Secretary”, unless specifically
 11 designated otherwise, means the Secretary of the In-
 12 terior.

13 (2) The term “public lands” means any land
 14 and interest in land owned by the United States and
 15 administered by the Secretary of the Interior
 16 through the Bureau of Land Management.

17 TITLE VIII—MILITARY LANDS AND 18 OVERFLIGHTS

19 SHORT TITLE AND FINDINGS

20 SEC. 801. (a) SHORT TITLE.—This title may be cited
 21 as the “California Military Lands Withdrawal and
 22 Overflights Act of 1991”.

23 (b) Findings.—The Congress finds that—

24 (1) Military aircraft testing and training activi-
 25 ties as well as demilitarization activities in California

1 are an important part of the national defense system
2 of the United States, and are essential in order to
3 secure for the American people of this and future
4 generations an enduring and viable national defense
5 system;

6 (2) the national parks and wilderness areas des-
7 ignated by this Act lie within a region critical to pro-
8 viding training, research, and development for the
9 Armed Forces of the United States and its allies;

10 (3) there is a lack of alternative sites available
11 for these military training, testing, and research ac-
12 tivities;

13 (4) continued use of the lands and airspace in
14 the California desert region is essential for military
15 purposes; and

16 (5) continuation of these military activities,
17 under appropriate terms and conditions, is not in-
18 compatible with the protection and proper manage-
19 ment of the natural, environmental, cultural, and
20 other resources and values of the Federal lands in
21 the California desert area.

22 MILITARY OVERFLIGHTS

23 SEC. 802. (a) Nothing in this Act shall restrict or
24 preclude low-level overflights of military aircraft over the
25 new units of the National Park or Wilderness Preservation
26 System (or any additions to existing units) designated by

1 this Act, including military overflights that can be seen
 2 or heard within the areas designated by this Act.

3 (b) Nothing in this Act shall restrict or preclude the
 4 designation of new units of special airspace or the use of
 5 establishment of military flight training routes over the
 6 new units of the National Park or Wilderness Preservation
 7 Systems (or any additions to existing units) designated by
 8 this Act.

9 (c) Nothing in this section shall be construed to mod-
 10 ify, expand, or diminish any authority under other Federal
 11 law.

12 WITHDRAWALS

13 SEC. 803. (a) CHINA LAKE.—(1) Subject to valid ex-
 14 isting rights and except as otherwise provided in this title,
 15 the Federal lands referred to in paragraph (2), and all
 16 other areas within the boundary of such lands as depicted
 17 on the map specified in such paragraph which may become
 18 subject to the operation of the public land laws, are hereby
 19 withdrawn from all forms of appropriation under the pub-
 20 lic land laws (including the mining laws and the mineral
 21 leasing laws). Such lands are reserved for use by the Sec-
 22 retary of the Navy for—

23 (A) use as a research, development, test, and
 24 evaluation laboratory;

25 (B) use as a range for air warfare weapons and
 26 weapon systems;

1 ~~(C)~~ use as a high hazard training area for aer-
2 ial gunnery, rocketry, electronic warfare and coun-
3 termeasures, tactical maneuvering and air support;
4 and

5 ~~(D)~~ subject to the requirements of section
6 804(f), other defense-related purposes consistent
7 with the purposes specified in this paragraph.

8 ~~(2)~~ The lands referred to in paragraph (1) are the
9 Federal lands, located within the boundaries of the China
10 Lake Naval Weapons Center, comprising approximately
11 one million one hundred thousand acres in Inyo, Kern, and
12 San Bernardino Counties, California, as generally depicted
13 on a map entitled “China Lake Naval Weapons Center
14 Withdrawal—Proposed”, dated January 1985, and filed
15 in accordance with section 803.

16 ~~(b)~~ CHOCOLATE MOUNTAIN.—(1) Subject to valid ex-
17 isting rights and except as otherwise provided in this title,
18 the Federal lands referred to in paragraph ~~(2)~~, and all
19 other areas within the boundary of such lands as depicted
20 on the map specified in such paragraph which may become
21 subject to the operation of the public land laws, are hereby
22 withdrawn from all forms of appropriation under the pub-
23 lic land laws (including the mining laws and the mineral
24 leasing and the geothermal leasing laws). Such lands are
25 reserved for use by the Secretary of the Navy for—

1 (A) testing and training for aerial bombing,
2 missile firing, tactical maneuvering and air support;
3 and

4 (B) subject to the provisions of section 804(f),
5 other defense-related purposes consistent with the
6 purposes specified in this paragraph.

7 (2) The lands referred to in paragraph (1) are the
8 Federal lands comprising approximately two hundred
9 twenty-six thousand seven hundred and eleven acres in
10 Imperial County, California, as generally depicted on a
11 map entitled “Chocolate Mountain Aerial Gunnery Range
12 Proposed—Withdrawal” dated November 1991 and filed
13 in accordance with section 803.

14 MAPS AND LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS

15 SEC. 804. (a) PUBLICATION AND FILING REQUIRE-
16 MENT.—As soon as practicable after the date of enact-
17 ment of this title, the Secretary of the Interior shall—

18 (1) publish in the Federal Register a notice
19 containing the legal description of the lands with-
20 drawn and reserved by this title; and

21 (2) file maps and the legal description of the
22 lands withdrawn and reserved by this title with the
23 Committee on Energy and Natural Resources of the
24 United States Senate and with the Committee on
25 Natural Resources of the United States House of
26 Representatives.

1 (b) TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS.—Such maps and
 2 legal descriptions shall have the same force and effect as
 3 if they were included in this title except that the Secretary
 4 of the Interior may correct clerical and typographical er-
 5 rors in such maps and legal descriptions.

6 (c) AVAILABILITY FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION.—Copies
 7 of such maps and legal descriptions shall be available for
 8 public inspection in the Office of the Director of the Bu-
 9 reau of Land Management, Washington, District of Co-
 10 lumbia; the Office of the Director, California State Office
 11 of the Bureau of Land Management, Sacramento, Califor-
 12 nia; the office of the commander of the Naval Weapons
 13 Center, China Lake, California; the office of the com-
 14 manding officer, Marine Corps Air Station, Yuma, Ari-
 15 zona; and the Office of the Secretary of Defense, Washing-
 16 ton, District of Columbia.

17 (d) REIMBURSEMENT.—The Secretary of Defense
 18 shall reimburse the Secretary of the Interior for the cost
 19 of implementing this section.

20 MANAGEMENT OF WITHDRAWN LANDS

21 SEC. 805. (a) MANAGEMENT BY THE SECRETARY OF
 22 THE INTERIOR.—(1) Except as provided in subsection (g),
 23 during the period of the withdrawal the Secretary of the
 24 Interior shall manage the lands withdrawn under section
 25 802 pursuant to the Federal Land Policy and Manage-

1 ment Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1701 et seq.) and other ap-
2 plicable law, including this title.

3 ~~(2)~~ To the extent consistent with applicable law and
4 Executive orders, the lands withdrawn under section 802
5 may be managed in a manner permitting—

6 ~~(A)~~ the continuation of grazing pursuant to ap-
7 plicable law and Executive orders were permitted on
8 the date of enactment of this title;

9 ~~(B)~~ protection of wildlife and wildlife habitat;

10 ~~(C)~~ control of predatory and other animals;

11 ~~(D)~~ recreation (but only on lands withdrawn by
12 section 802(a) (relating to China Lake));

13 ~~(E)~~ the prevention and appropriate suppression
14 of brush and range fires resulting from nonmilitary
15 activities; and

16 ~~(F)~~ geothermal leasing on the lands withdrawn
17 under section 802(a) (relating to China Lake).

18 ~~(3)(A)~~ All nonmilitary use of such lands, including
19 the uses described in paragraph (2), shall be subject to
20 such conditions and restrictions as may be necessary to
21 permit the military use of such lands for the purposes
22 specified in or authorized pursuant to this title.

23 ~~(B)~~ The Secretary of the Interior may issue any
24 lease, easement, right-of-way, or other authorization with

1 respect to the nonmilitary use of such lands only with the
2 concurrence of the Secretary of the Navy.

3 ~~(b) CLOSURE TO PUBLIC.—~~(1) If the Secretary of the
4 Navy determines that military operations, public safety,
5 or national security require the closure to public use of
6 any road, trail, or other portion of the lands withdrawn
7 by this title, the Secretary may take such action as the
8 Secretary determines necessary or desirable to effect and
9 maintain such closure.

10 ~~(2) Any such closure shall be limited to the minimum~~
11 ~~areas and periods which the Secretary of the Navy deter-~~
12 ~~mines are required to carry out this subsection.~~

13 ~~(3) Before and during any closure under this sub-~~
14 ~~section, the Secretary of the Navy shall—~~

15 ~~(A) keep appropriate warning notices posted;~~
16 ~~and~~

17 ~~(B) take appropriate steps to notify the public~~
18 ~~concerning such closures.~~

19 ~~(c) MANAGEMENT PLAN.—~~The Secretary of the Inte-
20 rior ~~(after consultation with the Secretary of the Navy)~~
21 ~~shall develop a plan for the management of each area with-~~
22 ~~drawn under section 802 during the period of such with-~~
23 ~~drawal. Each plan shall—~~

24 ~~(1) be consistent with applicable law;~~

1 (2) be subject to conditions and restrictions
2 specified in subsection (a)(3);

3 (3) include such provisions as may be necessary
4 for proper management and protection of the re-
5 sources and values of such area; and

6 (4) be developed not later than three years after
7 the date of enactment of this title.

8 (d) BRUSH AND RANGE FIRES.—The Secretary of
9 the Navy shall take necessary precautions to prevent and
10 suppress brush and range fires occurring within and out-
11 side the lands withdrawn under section 802 as a result
12 of military activities and may seek assistance from the Bu-
13 reau of Land Management in the suppression of such
14 fires. The memorandum of understanding required by sub-
15 section (e) shall provide for Bureau of Land Management
16 assistance in the suppression of such fires, and for a
17 transfer of funds from the Department of the Navy to the
18 Bureau of Land Management as compensation for such
19 assistance.

20 (e) MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING.—(1) The
21 Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of the Navy
22 shall (with respect to each land withdrawal under section
23 802) enter into a memorandum of understanding to imple-
24 ment the management plan developed under subsection
25 (c). Any such memorandum of understanding shall provide

1 that the Director of the Bureau of Land Management
2 shall provide assistance in the suppression of fires result-
3 ing from the military use of lands withdrawn under section
4 802 if requested by the Secretary of the Navy.

5 (2) The duration of any such memorandum shall be
6 the same as the period of the withdrawal of the lands
7 under section 802.

8 (f) ~~ADDITIONAL MILITARY USES.~~—(1) Lands with-
9 drawn by section 802 may be used for defense-related uses
10 other than those specified in such section. The Secretary
11 of Defense shall promptly notify the Secretary of the Inte-
12 rior in the event that the lands withdrawn by this title
13 will be used for defense-related purposes other than those
14 specified in section 802. Such notification shall indicate
15 the additional use or uses involved, the proposed duration
16 of such uses, and the extent to which such additional mili-
17 tary uses of the withdrawn lands will require that addi-
18 tional or more stringent conditions or restrictions be im-
19 posed on otherwise-permitted nonmilitary uses of the with-
20 drawn land or portions thereof.

21 (g) ~~MANAGEMENT OF CHINA LAKE.~~—(1) The Sec-
22 retary of the Interior may assign the management respon-
23 sibility for the lands withdrawn under section 802(a) to
24 the Secretary of the Navy who shall manage such lands,
25 and issue leases, easements, rights-of-way, and other au-

1 thorizations, in accordance with this title and cooperative
2 management arrangements between the Secretary of the
3 Interior and the Secretary of the Navy. In the case that
4 the Secretary of the Interior assigns such management re-
5 sponsibility to the Secretary of the Navy before the devel-
6 opment of the management plan under subsection (c), the
7 Secretary of the Navy (after consultation with the Sec-
8 retary of the Interior) shall develop such management
9 plan.

10 (2) The Secretary of the Interior shall be responsible
11 for the issuance of any lease, easement, right-of-way, and
12 other authorization with respect to any activity which in-
13 volves both the lands withdrawn under section 802(a) and
14 any other lands. Any such authorization shall be issued
15 only with the consent of the Secretary of the Navy and,
16 to the extent that such activity involves lands withdrawn
17 under section 802(a), shall be subject to such conditions
18 as the Secretary of the Navy may prescribe.

19 (3) The Secretary of the Navy shall prepare and sub-
20 mit to the Secretary of the Interior an annual report on
21 the status of the natural and cultural resources and values
22 of the lands withdrawn under section 802(a). The Sec-
23 retary of the Interior shall transmit such report to the
24 Committee on Natural Resources of the House of Rep-

1 representatives and the Committee on Energy and Natural
2 Resources of the Senate.

3 (4) The Secretary of the Navy shall be responsible
4 for the management of wild horses and burros located on
5 the lands withdrawn under section 802(a) and may utilize
6 helicopters and motorized vehicles for such purposes. Such
7 management shall be in accordance with laws applicable
8 to such management on public lands and with an appro-
9 priate memorandum of understanding between the Sec-
10 retary of the Interior and the Secretary of the Navy.

11 (5) Neither this title nor any other provision of law
12 shall be construed to prohibit the Secretary of the Interior
13 from issuing and administering any lease for the develop-
14 ment and utilization of geothermal steam and associated
15 geothermal resources on the lands withdrawn under sec-
16 tion 802(a) pursuant to the Geothermal Steam Act of
17 1970 (30 U.S.C. 1001 et seq.) and other applicable law,
18 but no such lease shall be issued without the concurrence
19 of the Secretary of the Navy.

20 (6) This title shall not affect the geothermal explo-
21 ration and development authority of the Secretary of the
22 Navy under section 2689 of title 10, United States Code,
23 except that the Secretary of the Navy shall obtain the con-
24 currence of the Secretary of the Interior before taking ac-

1 tion under that section with respect to the lands with-
 2 drawn under section 802(a).

3 DURATION OF WITHDRAWALS

4 ~~SEC. 806. (a) DURATION.~~—The withdrawal and res-
 5 ervation established by this title shall terminate twenty-
 6 five years after the date of enactment of this title.

7 ~~(b) DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT.~~—
 8 No later than twenty-two years after the date of enact-
 9 ment of this title, the Secretary of the Navy shall publish
 10 a draft environmental impact statement concerning con-
 11 tinued or renewed withdrawal of any portion of the lands
 12 withdrawn by this title for which that Secretary intends
 13 to seek such continued or renewed withdrawal. Such draft
 14 environmental impact statement shall be consistent with
 15 the requirements of the National Environmental Policy
 16 Act of 1969 (42 U.S.C. 4321 et seq.) applicable to such
 17 a draft environmental impact statement. Prior to the ter-
 18 mination date specified in subsection (a), the Secretary of
 19 the Navy shall hold a public hearing on any draft environ-
 20 mental impact statement published pursuant to this sub-
 21 section. Such hearing shall be held in the State of Califor-
 22 nia in order to receive public comments on the alternatives
 23 and other matters included in such draft environmental
 24 impact statement.

1 (c) EXTENSIONS OR RENEWALS.—The withdrawals
 2 established by this title may not be extended or renewed
 3 except by an Act or joint resolution.

4 ONGOING DECONTAMINATION

5 SEC. 807. (a) PROGRAM.—Throughout the duration
 6 of the withdrawals made by this title, the Secretary of the
 7 Navy, to the extent funds are made available, shall main-
 8 tain a program of decontamination of lands withdrawn by
 9 this title at least at the level of decontamination activities
 10 performed on such lands in fiscal year 1986.

11 (b) REPORTS.—At the same time as the President
 12 transmits to the Congress the President's proposed budget
 13 for the first fiscal year beginning after the date of enact-
 14 ment of this title and for each subsequent fiscal year, the
 15 Secretary of the Navy shall transmit to the Committees
 16 on Appropriations, Armed Services, and Energy and Nat-
 17 ural Resources of the Senate and to the Committees on
 18 Appropriations, Armed Services, and Natural Resources
 19 of the House of Representatives a description of the de-
 20 contamination efforts undertaken during the previous fis-
 21 cal year on such lands and the decontamination activities
 22 proposed for such lands during the next fiscal year includ-
 23 ing—

24 (1) amounts appropriated and obligated or ex-
 25 pended for decontamination of such lands;

1 (2) the methods used to decontaminate such
2 lands;

3 (3) amount and types of contaminants removed
4 from such lands;

5 (4) estimated types and amounts of residual
6 contamination on such lands; and

7 (5) an estimate of the costs for full decon-
8 tamination of such lands and the estimate of the
9 time to complete such decontamination.

10 REQUIREMENTS FOR RENEWAL

11 SEC. 808. (a) NOTICE AND FILING.—(1) No later
12 than three years prior to the termination of the with-
13 drawal and reservation established by this title, the Sec-
14 retary of the Navy shall advise the Secretary of the Inte-
15 rior as to whether or not the Secretary of the Navy will
16 have a continuing military need for any of the lands with-
17 drawn under section 802 after the termination date of
18 such withdrawal and reservation.

19 (2) If the Secretary of the Navy concludes that there
20 will be a continuing military need for any of such lands
21 after the termination date, the Secretary shall file an ap-
22 plication for extension of the withdrawal and reservation
23 of such needed lands in accordance with the regulations
24 and procedures of the Department of the Interior applica-
25 ble to the extension of withdrawals of lands for military
26 uses.

1 (3) If, during the period of withdrawal and reserva-
2 tion, the Secretary of the Navy decides to relinquish all
3 or any of the lands withdrawn and reserved by this title,
4 the Secretary shall file a notice of intention to relinquish
5 with the Secretary of the Interior.

6 (b) CONTAMINATION.—(1) Before transmitting a no-
7 tice of intention to relinquish pursuant to subsection (a),
8 the Secretary of Defense, acting through the Department
9 of the Navy, shall prepare a written determination con-
10 cerning whether and to what extent the lands that are to
11 be relinquished are contaminated with explosive, toxic, or
12 other hazardous materials.

13 (2) A copy of such determination shall be transmitted
14 with the notice of intention to relinquish.

15 (3) Copies of both the notice of intention to relinquish
16 and the determination concerning the contaminated state
17 of the lands shall be published in the Federal Register by
18 the Secretary of the Interior.

19 (c) DECONTAMINATION.—If any land which is the
20 subject of a notice of intention to relinquish pursuant to
21 subsection (a) is contaminated, and the Secretary of the
22 Interior, in consultation with the Secretary of the Navy,
23 determines that decontamination is practicable and eco-
24 nomically feasible (taking into consideration the potential
25 future use and value of the land) and that upon decon-

1 tamination, the land could be opened to operation of some
2 or all of the public land laws, including the mining laws,
3 the Secretary of the Navy shall decontaminate the land
4 to the extent that funds are appropriated for such pur-
5 pose.

6 (d) ALTERNATIVES.—If the Secretary of the Interior,
7 after consultation with the Secretary of the Navy, con-
8 cludes that decontamination of any land which is the sub-
9 ject of a notice of intention to relinquish pursuant to sub-
10 section (a) is not practicable or economically feasible, or
11 that the land cannot be decontaminated sufficiently to be
12 opened to operation of some or all of the public land laws,
13 or if Congress does not appropriate a sufficient amount
14 of funds for the decontamination of such land, the Sec-
15 retary of the Interior shall not be required to accept the
16 land proposed for relinquishment.

17 (e) STATUS OF CONTAMINATED LANDS.—If, because
18 of their contaminated state, the Secretary of the Interior
19 declines to accept jurisdiction over lands withdrawn by
20 this title which have been proposed for relinquishment, or
21 if at the expiration of the withdrawal made by this title
22 the Secretary of the Interior determines that some of the
23 lands withdrawn by this title are contaminated to an ex-
24 tent which prevents opening such contaminated lands to
25 operation of the public land laws—

1 (1) the Secretary of the Navy shall take appro-
2 priate steps to warn the public of the contaminated
3 state of such lands and any risks associated with
4 entry onto such lands;

5 (2) after the expiration of the withdrawal, the
6 Secretary of the Navy shall undertake no activities
7 on such lands except in connection with decon-
8 tamination of such lands; and

9 (3) the Secretary of the Navy shall report to
10 the Secretary of the Interior and to the Congress
11 concerning the status of such lands and all actions
12 taken in furtherance of this subsection.

13 (f) REVOCATION AUTHORITY.—Notwithstanding any
14 other provision of law, the Secretary of the Interior, upon
15 deciding that it is in the public interest to accept jurisdic-
16 tion over lands proposed for relinquishment pursuant to
17 subsection (a), is authorized to revoke the withdrawal and
18 reservation established by this title as it applies to such
19 lands. Should the decision be made to revoke the with-
20 drawal and reservation, the Secretary of the Interior shall
21 published in the Federal Register an appropriate order
22 which shall—

23 (1) terminate the withdrawal and reservation;

1 (2) constitute official acceptance of full jurisdic-
 2 tion over the lands by the Secretary of the Interior;
 3 and

4 (3) state the date upon which the lands will be
 5 opened to the operation of some or all of the public
 6 lands law, including the mining laws.

7 DELEGABILITY

8 SEC. 809. (a) DEFENSE.—The functions of the Sec-
 9 retary of Defense or the Secretary of the Navy under this
 10 title may be delegated.

11 (b) INTERIOR.—The functions of the Secretary of the
 12 Interior under this title may be delegated, except that an
 13 order described in section 807(f) may be approved and
 14 signed only by the Secretary of the Interior, the Under
 15 Secretary of the Interior, or an Assistant Secretary of the
 16 Department of the Interior.

17 HUNTING, FISHING, AND TRAPPING

18 SEC. 810. All hunting, fishing, and trapping on the
 19 lands withdrawn by this title shall be conducted in accord-
 20 ance with the provisions of section 2671 of title 10, United
 21 States Code.

22 IMMUNITY OF UNITED STATES

23 SEC. 811. The United States and all departments or
 24 agencies thereof shall be held harmless and shall not be
 25 liable for any injury or damage to persons or property suf-
 26 fered in the course of any geothermal leasing or other au-

1 thorized nonmilitary activity conducted on lands described
 2 in section 802 of this title.

3 EL CENTRO RANGES

4 SEC. 812. The Secretary of the Interior is authorized
 5 to permit the Secretary of the Navy to use until January
 6 1, 1996, the approximately forty-four thousand eight hun-
 7 dred and seventy acres of public lands in Imperial County,
 8 California, known as the East Mesa and West Mesa
 9 ranges, in accordance with the Memorandum of Under-
 10 standing dated June 29, 1987, between the Bureau of
 11 Land Management, the Bureau of Reclamation, and the
 12 Department of the Navy. Such use shall be consistent with
 13 such Memorandum of Understanding and such additional
 14 terms and conditions as the Secretary of the Interior may
 15 require in order to protect the natural, scientific, environ-
 16 mental, cultural, and other resources and values of such
 17 lands and to minimize the extent to which use of such
 18 lands for military purposes impedes or restricts use of
 19 such or other public lands for other purposes. All military
 20 uses of such lands shall cease on January 1, 1996, unless
 21 authorized by subsequent Act of Congress.

22 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

23 *This Act may be cited as the "California Desert Pro-*
 24 *tection Act of 1993".*

25 **SEC. 2. FINDINGS AND POLICY.**

26 *(a) The Congress finds and declares that—*

1 (1) the federally owned desert lands of southern
2 California constitute a public wildland resource of ex-
3 traordinary and inestimable value for this and future
4 generations;

5 (2) these desert wildlands display unique scenic,
6 historical, archeological, environmental, ecological,
7 wildlife, cultural, scientific, educational, and rec-
8 reational values used and enjoyed by millions of
9 Americans for hiking and camping, scientific study
10 and scenic appreciation;

11 (3) the public land resources of the California
12 desert now face and are increasingly threatened by
13 adverse pressures which would impair, dilute, and de-
14 stroy their public and natural values;

15 (4) the California desert, embracing wilderness
16 lands, units of the National Park System, other Fed-
17 eral lands, State parks and other State lands, and
18 private lands, constitutes a cohesive unit posing
19 unique and difficult resource protection and manage-
20 ment challenges;

21 (5) through designation of national monuments
22 by Presidential proclamation, through enactment of
23 general public land statutes (including section 601 of
24 the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of
25 1976, 90 Stat. 2743, 43 U.S.C. 1701 et seq.) and

1 *through interim administrative actions, the Federal*
2 *government has begun the process of appropriately*
3 *providing for protection of the significant resources of*
4 *the public lands in the California desert; and*

5 *(6) statutory land unit designations are needed*
6 *to afford the full protection which the resources and*
7 *public land values of the California desert merit.*

8 *(b) In order to secure for the American people of this*
9 *and future generations an enduring heritage of wilderness,*
10 *national parks, and public land values in the California*
11 *desert, it is hereby declared to be the policy of the Congress*
12 *that—*

13 *(1) appropriate public lands in the California*
14 *desert shall be included within the National Park*
15 *System and the National Wilderness Preservation*
16 *System, in order to—*

17 *(A) preserve unrivaled scenic, geologic, and*
18 *wildlife values associated with these unique nat-*
19 *ural landscapes;*

20 *(B) perpetuate in their natural state sig-*
21 *nificant and diverse ecosystems of the California*
22 *desert;*

23 *(C) protect and preserve historical and cul-*
24 *tural values of the California desert associated*
25 *with ancient Indian cultures, patterns of western*

1 *exploration and settlement, and sites exemplify-*
 2 *ing the mining, ranching and railroading his-*
 3 *tory of the Old West;*

4 *(D) provide opportunities for compatible*
 5 *outdoor public recreation, protect and interpret*
 6 *ecological and geological features and historic,*
 7 *paleontological, and archeological sites, maintain*
 8 *wilderness resource values, and promote public*
 9 *understanding and appreciation of the Califor-*
 10 *nia desert; and*

11 *(E) retain and enhance opportunities for*
 12 *scientific research in undisturbed ecosystems.*

13 ***TITLE I—DESIGNATION OF WILDERNESS***
 14 ***AREAS TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE***
 15 ***BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT***

16 ***SEC. 101. FINDINGS.***

17 *The Congress finds and declares that—*

18 *(1) wilderness is a distinguishing characteristic*
 19 *of the public lands in the California desert, one which*
 20 *affords an unrivaled opportunity for experiencing*
 21 *vast areas of the Old West essentially unaltered by*
 22 *man's activities, and which merits preservation for*
 23 *the benefit of present and future generations;*

24 *(2) the wilderness values of desert lands are in-*
 25 *creasingly threatened by and especially vulnerable to*

1 *impairment, alteration, and destruction by activities*
2 *and intrusions associated with incompatible use and*
3 *development; and*

4 (3) *preservation of desert wilderness necessarily*
5 *requires the highest forms of protective designation*
6 *and management.*

7 **SEC. 102. DESIGNATION OF WILDERNESS.**

8 *In furtherance of the purpose of the Wilderness Act (78*
9 *Stat. 890, 16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), and sections 601 and*
10 *603 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of*
11 *1976 (90 Stat. 2743, 43 U.S.C. 1701 et seq.), the following*
12 *lands in the State of California, as generally depicted on*
13 *maps referenced herein, are hereby designated as wilderness,*
14 *and therefore, as components of the National Wilderness*
15 *Preservation System:*

16 (1) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
17 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
18 *which comprise approximately seventy-four thousand*
19 *eight hundred and ninety acres, as generally depicted*
20 *on a map entitled "Argus Range Wilderness—Pro-*
21 *posed 1", dated May 1991, and two maps entitled*
22 *"Argus Range Wilderness—Proposed 2" and "Argus*
23 *Range Wilderness—Proposed 3" dated January 1989,*
24 *and which shall be known as the Argus Range Wilder-*
25 *ness.*

1 (2) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
2 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
3 *which comprise approximately ten thousand three*
4 *hundred and eighty acres, as generally depicted on a*
5 *map entitled “Bigelow Cholla Garden Wilderness—*
6 *Proposed”, dated July 1993, and which shall be*
7 *known as the Bigelow Cholla Garden Wilderness.*

8 (3) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
9 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
10 *and within the San Bernardino National Forest,*
11 *which comprise approximately thirty-nine thousand*
12 *one hundred and eighty-five acres, as generally de-*
13 *picted on a map entitled “Bighorn Mountain Wilder-*
14 *ness—Proposed”, dated July 1993, and which shall be*
15 *known as the Bighorn Mountain Wilderness.*

16 (4) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
17 *servation Area and the Yuma District, of the Bureau*
18 *of Land Management, which comprise approximately*
19 *forty-seven thousand five hundred and seventy acres,*
20 *as generally depicted on a map entitled “Big Maria*
21 *Mountains Wilderness—Proposed”, dated February*
22 *1986, and which shall be known as the Big Maria*
23 *Mountains Wilderness.*

24 (5) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
25 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*

1 *which comprise approximately thirteen thousand nine*
2 *hundred and forty acres, as generally depicted on a*
3 *map entitled “Black Mountain Wilderness—Pro-*
4 *posed”, dated July 1993, and which shall be known*
5 *as the Black Mountain Wilderness.*

6 *(6) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
7 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
8 *which comprise approximately nine thousand five*
9 *hundred and twenty acres, as generally depicted on a*
10 *map entitled “Bright Star Wilderness—Proposed”,*
11 *dated October 1993, and which shall be known as the*
12 *Bright Star Wilderness.*

13 *(7) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
14 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
15 *which comprise approximately sixty-eight thousand*
16 *five hundred and fifteen acres, as generally depicted*
17 *on two maps entitled “Bristol Mountains Wilder-*
18 *ness—Proposed 1”, and “Bristol Mountains Wilder-*
19 *ness—Proposed 2”, dated September 1991, and which*
20 *shall be known as Bristol Mountains Wilderness.*

21 *(8) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
22 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
23 *which comprise approximately thirty-nine thousand*
24 *seven hundred and forty acres, as generally depicted*
25 *on a map entitled “Cadiz Dunes Wilderness—Pro-*

1 *posed”, dated July 1993, and which shall be known*
2 *as the Cadiz Dunes Wilderness.*

3 *(9) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
4 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
5 *which comprise approximately eighty-four thousand*
6 *four hundred acres, as generally depicted on a map*
7 *entitled “Cady Mountains Wilderness—Proposed”,*
8 *dated July 1993, and which shall be known as the*
9 *Cady Mountains Wilderness.*

10 *(10) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
11 *servation Area and Eastern San Diego County, of the*
12 *Bureau of Land Management, which comprise ap-*
13 *proximately fifteen thousand seven hundred acres, as*
14 *generally depicted on a map entitled “Carrizo Gorge*
15 *Wilderness—Proposed”, dated February 1986, and*
16 *which shall be known as the Carrizo Gorge Wilder-*
17 *ness.*

18 *(11) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
19 *servation Area and Yuma District, of the Bureau of*
20 *Land Management, which comprise approximately*
21 *sixty-four thousand three hundred and twenty acres,*
22 *as generally depicted on a map entitled “Chemehuevi*
23 *Mountains Wilderness—Proposed”, dated July 1993,*
24 *and which shall be known as the Chemehuevi Moun-*
25 *tains Wilderness.*

1 (12) *Certain lands in the Bakersfield District, of*
2 *the Bureau of Land Management, which comprise ap-*
3 *proximately thirteen thousand seven hundred acres,*
4 *as generally depicted on two maps entitled “Chimney*
5 *Park Wilderness—Proposed 1” and “Chimney Peak*
6 *Wilderness—Proposed 2”, dated May 1991, and*
7 *which shall be known as the Chimney Peak Wilder-*
8 *ness.*

9 (13) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
10 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
11 *which comprise approximately eighty thousand seven*
12 *hundred and seventy acres, as generally depicted on*
13 *two maps entitled “Chuckwalla Mountains Wilder-*
14 *ness—Proposed 1” and “Chuckwalla Mountains Wil-*
15 *derness—Proposed 2”, dated July 1992, and which*
16 *shall be known as the Chuckwalla Mountains Wilder-*
17 *ness.*

18 (14) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
19 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
20 *which comprise thirty-three thousand nine hundred*
21 *and eighty acres, as generally depicted on a map en-*
22 *titled “Cleghorn Lakes Wilderness—Proposed”, dated*
23 *July 1993, and which shall be known as the Cleghorn*
24 *Lakes Wilderness. The Secretary may, pursuant to an*
25 *application filed by the Department of Defense, grant*

1 *a right-of-way for, and authorize construction of, a*
2 *road within the area depicted as “nonwilderness road*
3 *corridor” on such map.*

4 *(15) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
5 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
6 *which comprise approximately twenty-six thousand*
7 *acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Clip-*
8 *per Mountain Wilderness—Proposed”, dated July*
9 *1993, and which shall be known as Clipper Mountain*
10 *Wilderness.*

11 *(16) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
12 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
13 *which comprise approximately fifty thousand five*
14 *hundred and twenty acres, as generally depicted on a*
15 *map entitled “Coso Range Wilderness—Proposed”,*
16 *dated May 1991, and which shall be known as Coso*
17 *Range Wilderness.*

18 *(17) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
19 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
20 *which comprise approximately seventeen thousand*
21 *acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Coy-*
22 *ote Mountains Wilderness—Proposed”, dated July*
23 *1993, and which shall be known as Coyote Mountains*
24 *Wilderness.*

1 (18) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
2 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
3 *which comprise approximately eight thousand six*
4 *hundred acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-*
5 *tled “Darwin Falls Wilderness—Proposed”, dated*
6 *May 1991, and which shall be known as Darwin*
7 *Falls Wilderness.*

8 (19) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
9 *servation Area and the Yuma District, of the Bureau*
10 *of Land Management, which comprise approximately*
11 *forty-eight thousand eight hundred and fifty acres, as*
12 *generally depicted on a map entitled “Dead Moun-*
13 *tains Wilderness—Proposed”, dated October 1991,*
14 *and which shall be known as Dead Mountains Wilder-*
15 *ness.*

16 (20) *Certain lands in the Bakersfield District, of*
17 *the Bureau of Land Management, which comprise ap-*
18 *proximately thirty-six thousand three hundred acres,*
19 *as generally depicted on two maps entitled*
20 *“Domeland Wilderness Additions—Proposed 1” and*
21 *“Domeland Wilderness Additions—Proposed 2”, and*
22 *which are hereby incorporated in, and which shall be*
23 *deemed to be a part of, the Domeland Wilderness as*
24 *designated by Public Laws 93–632 and 98–425.*

1 (21) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
2 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
3 *which comprise approximately twenty-three thousand*
4 *seven hundred and eighty acres, as generally depicted*
5 *on a map entitled “El Paso Mountains Wilderness—*
6 *Proposed”, dated July 1993, and which shall be*
7 *known as the El Paso Mountains Wilderness.*

8 (22) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
9 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
10 *which comprise approximately twenty-five thousand*
11 *nine hundred and forty acres, as generally depicted*
12 *on a map entitled “Fish Creek Mountains Wilder-*
13 *ness—Proposed”, dated July 1993, and which shall be*
14 *known as Fish Creek Mountains Wilderness.*

15 (23) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
16 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
17 *which comprise approximately twenty-eight thousand*
18 *one hundred and ten acres, as generally depicted on*
19 *a map entitled “Funeral Mountains Wilderness—Pro-*
20 *posed”, dated May 1991, and which shall be known*
21 *as Funeral Mountains Wilderness.*

22 (24) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
23 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
24 *which comprise approximately thirty-seven thousand*
25 *seven hundred acres, as generally depicted on a map*

1 *entitled “Golden Valley Wilderness—Proposed”, dated*
2 *February 1986, and which shall be known as Golden*
3 *Valley Wilderness.*

4 *(25) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
5 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
6 *which comprise approximately thirty-one thousand*
7 *six hundred and ninety-five acres, as generally de-*
8 *picted on a map entitled “Grass Valley Wilderness—*
9 *Proposed”, dated July 1993, and which shall be*
10 *known as the Grass Valley Wilderness.*

11 *(26) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
12 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
13 *which comprise approximately eight thousand eight*
14 *hundred acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-*
15 *tled “Great Falls Basin Wilderness—Proposed”,*
16 *dated February 1986, and which shall be known as*
17 *the Great Falls Basin Wilderness.*

18 *(27) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
19 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
20 *which comprise approximately twenty-two thousand*
21 *two hundred and forty acres, as generally depicted on*
22 *a map entitled “Hollow Hills Wilderness—Proposed”,*
23 *dated May 1991, and which shall be known as the*
24 *Hollow Hills Wilderness.*

1 (28) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
2 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
3 *which comprise approximately twenty-six thousand*
4 *four hundred and sixty acres, as generally depicted on*
5 *a map entitled “Tbex Wilderness—Proposed”, dated*
6 *May 1991, and which shall be known as the Ibex Wil-*
7 *derness.*

8 (29) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
9 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
10 *which comprise approximately thirty-three thousand*
11 *eight hundred and fifty-five acres, as generally de-*
12 *scribed on a map entitled “Indian Pass Wilderness—*
13 *Proposed”, dated July 1993, and which shall be*
14 *known as the Indian Pass Wilderness.*

15 (30) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
16 *servation Area and the Bakersfield District, of the*
17 *Bureau of Land Management, and within the Inyo*
18 *National Forest, which comprise approximately two*
19 *hundred and five thousand and twenty acres, as gen-*
20 *erally depicted on three maps entitled “Inyo Moun-*
21 *tains Wilderness—Proposed 1”, “Inyo Mountains*
22 *Wilderness—Proposed 2”, “Inyo Mountains Wilder-*
23 *ness—Proposed 3”, dated May 1991, and which shall*
24 *be known as the Inyo Mountains Wilderness.*

1 (31) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
2 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
3 *which comprise approximately thirty-three thousand*
4 *six hundred and seventy acres, as generally depicted*
5 *on a map entitled “Jacumba Wilderness—Proposed”,*
6 *dated July 1993, and which shall be known as the*
7 *Jacumba Wilderness.*

8 (32) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
9 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
10 *which comprise approximately one hundred and*
11 *twenty-nine thousand five hundred and eighty acres,*
12 *as generally depicted on a map entitled “Kelso Dunes*
13 *Wilderness—Proposed 1”, dated October 1991, a map*
14 *entitled “Kelso Dunes Wilderness—Proposed 2”,*
15 *dated May 1991, and a map entitled “Kelso Dunes*
16 *Wilderness—Proposed 3”, dated September 1991, and*
17 *which shall be known as the Kelso Dunes Wilderness.*

18 (33) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
19 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
20 *and the Sequoia National Forest, which comprise ap-*
21 *proximately eighty-eight thousand two hundred and*
22 *ninety acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled*
23 *“Kiavah Wilderness—Proposed 1”, dated February*
24 *1986, and a map entitled “Kiavah Wilderness—Pro-*

1 *posed 2", dated October 1993, and which shall be*
2 *known as the Kiavah Wilderness.*

3 *(34) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
4 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
5 *which comprise approximately two hundred nine*
6 *thousand, six hundred and eight acres, as generally*
7 *depicted on four maps entitled "Kingston Range Wil-*
8 *derness—Proposed 1", "Kingston Range Wilderness—*
9 *Proposed 2", "Kingston Range Wilderness—Proposed*
10 *3", "Kingston Range Wilderness—Proposed 4", dated*
11 *July 1993, and which shall be known as the Kingston*
12 *Range Wilderness.*

13 *(35) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
14 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
15 *which comprise approximately twenty-nine thousand*
16 *eight hundred and eighty acres, as generally depicted*
17 *on a map entitled "Little Chuckwalla Mountains Wil-*
18 *derness—Proposed", dated July 1993, and which*
19 *shall be known as the Little Chuckwalla Mountains*
20 *Wilderness.*

21 *(36) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
22 *servation Area and the Yuma District, of the Bureau*
23 *of Land Management, which comprise approximately*
24 *thirty-three thousand six hundred acres, as generally*
25 *depicted on a map entitled "Little Picacho Wilder-*

1 *ness—Proposed”, dated July 1993, and which shall be*
2 *known as the Little Picacho Wilderness.*

3 (37) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
4 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
5 *which comprise approximately thirty-two thousand*
6 *three hundred and sixty acres, as generally depicted*
7 *on a map entitled “Malpais Mesa Wilderness—Pro-*
8 *posed”, dated September 1991, and which shall be*
9 *known as the Malpais Mesa Wilderness.*

10 (38) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
11 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
12 *which comprise approximately sixteen thousand one*
13 *hundred and five acres, as generally depicted on a*
14 *map entitled “Manly Peak Wilderness—Proposed”,*
15 *dated October 1991, and which shall be known as the*
16 *Manly Peak Wilderness.*

17 (39) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
18 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
19 *which comprise approximately twenty-four thousand*
20 *two hundred acres, as generally depicted on a map*
21 *entitled “Mecca Hills Wilderness—Proposed”, dated*
22 *July 1993, and which shall be known as the Mecca*
23 *Hills Wilderness.*

24 (40) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
25 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*

1 *which comprise approximately forty-seven thousand*
2 *three hundred and thirty acres, as generally depicted*
3 *on a map entitled “Mesquite Wilderness—Proposed”,*
4 *dated May 1991, and which shall be known as the*
5 *Mesquite Wilderness.*

6 *(41) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
7 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
8 *which comprise approximately twenty-two thousand*
9 *nine hundred acres, as generally depicted on a map*
10 *entitled “Newberry Mountains Wilderness—Pro-*
11 *posed”, dated February 1986, and which shall be*
12 *known as the Newberry Mountains Wilderness.*

13 *(42) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
14 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
15 *which comprise approximately one hundred ten thou-*
16 *sand eight hundred and sixty acres, as generally de-*
17 *scribed on a map entitled “Nopah Range Wilderness—*
18 *Proposed”, dated July 1993, and which shall be*
19 *known as the Nopah Range Wilderness.*

20 *(43) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
21 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
22 *which comprise approximately thirty-two thousand*
23 *two hundred and forty acres, as generally depicted on*
24 *a map entitled “North Algodones Dunes Wilderness—*

1 *Proposed*”, dated October 1991, and which shall be
2 known as the North Algodones Dunes Wilderness.

3 (44) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-
4 servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,
5 which comprise approximately twenty-five thousand
6 five hundred and forty acres, as generally depicted on
7 a map entitled “North Mesquite Mountains Wilder-
8 ness—Proposed”, dated May 1991, and which shall be
9 known as the North Mesquite Mountains Wilderness.

10 (45) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-
11 servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,
12 which comprise approximately one hundred forty-six
13 thousand and twenty acres, as generally depicted on
14 a map entitled “Old Woman Mountains Wilderness—
15 Proposed 1”, dated July 1993 and a map entitled
16 “Old Woman Mountains Wilderness—Proposed 2”,
17 dated July 1993, and which shall be known as the
18 Old Woman Mountains Wilderness.

19 (46) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-
20 servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,
21 which comprise approximately forty thousand seven
22 hundred and thirty-five acres, as generally depicted
23 on a map entitled “Orocopia Mountains Wilderness—
24 Proposed”, dated July 1993, and which shall be
25 known as the Orocopia Mountains Wilderness.

1 (47) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
2 *servation Area and the Bakersfield District, of the*
3 *Bureau of Land Management, which comprise ap-*
4 *proximately seventy-four thousand six hundred and*
5 *forty acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled*
6 *“Owens Peak Wilderness—Proposed 1”, dated Feb-*
7 *ruary 1986, and two maps entitled “Owens Peak Wil-*
8 *derness—Proposed 2” and “Owens Peak Wilderness—*
9 *Proposed 3”, dated May 1991, and which shall be*
10 *known as the Owens Peak Wilderness.*

11 (48) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
12 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
13 *which comprise approximately seventy-four thousand*
14 *eight hundred acres, as generally depicted on a map*
15 *entitled “Pahrump Valley Wilderness—Proposed”,*
16 *dated February 1986, and which shall be known as*
17 *the Pahrump Valley Wilderness.*

18 (49) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
19 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
20 *which comprise approximately two hundred seventy*
21 *thousand six hundred and twenty-nine acres, as gen-*
22 *erally depicted on a map entitled “Palen/McCoy Wil-*
23 *derness—Proposed 1”, dated July 1993, and a map*
24 *entitled “Palen/McCoy Wilderness—Proposed 2”,*

1 *dated July 1993, and which shall be known as the*
2 *Palen/McCoy Wilderness.*

3 *(50) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
4 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
5 *which comprise approximately thirty-two thousand*
6 *three hundred and ten acres, as generally depicted on*
7 *a map entitled “Palo Verde Mountains Wilderness—*
8 *Proposed”, dated July 1993, and which shall be*
9 *known as the Palo Verde Mountains Wilderness.*

10 *(51) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
11 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
12 *which comprise approximately seven thousand seven*
13 *hundred acres, as generally depicted on a map enti-*
14 *tled “Picacho Peak Wilderness—Proposed”, dated*
15 *May 1991, and which shall be known as the Picacho*
16 *Peak Wilderness.*

17 *(52) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
18 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
19 *which comprise approximately seventy-two thousand*
20 *five hundred and seventy-five acres, as generally de-*
21 *scribed on a map entitled “Piper Mountain Wilder-*
22 *ness—Proposed”, dated October 1993, and which shall*
23 *be known as the Piper Mountain Wilderness.*

24 *(53) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
25 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*

1 *which comprise approximately thirty-six thousand*
2 *eight hundred and forty acres, as generally depicted*
3 *on a map entitled “Piute Mountains Wilderness—*
4 *Proposed”, dated July 1993, and which shall be*
5 *known as the Piute Mountains Wilderness.*

6 *(54) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
7 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
8 *which comprise approximately seventy-eight thousand*
9 *eight hundred and sixty-eight acres, as generally de-*
10 *icted on a map entitled “Resting Spring Range Wil-*
11 *derness—Proposed”, dated May 1991, and which*
12 *shall be known as the Resting Spring Range Wilder-*
13 *ness.*

14 *(55) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
15 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
16 *which comprise approximately forty thousand eight*
17 *hundred and twenty acres, as generally depicted on a*
18 *map entitled “Rice Valley Wilderness—Proposed”,*
19 *dated May 1991, and which shall be known as the*
20 *Rice Valley Wilderness.*

21 *(56) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
22 *servation area and the Yuma District, of the Bureau*
23 *of Land Management, which comprise approximately*
24 *twenty-two thousand three hundred eighty acres, as*
25 *generally depicted on a map entitled “Riverside*

1 *Mountains Wilderness—Proposed*”, dated May 1991,
2 *and which shall be known as the Riverside Mountains*
3 *Wilderness.*

4 *(57) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
5 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
6 *which comprise approximately twenty-one thousand*
7 *three hundred acres, as generally depicted on a map*
8 *entitled “Rodman Mountains Wilderness—Proposed”,*
9 *dated July 1993, and which shall be known as the*
10 *Rodman Mountains Wilderness.*

11 *(58) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
12 *servation Area and the Bakersfield District, of the*
13 *Bureau of Land Management, which comprise ap-*
14 *proximately fifty-one thousand nine hundred acres, as*
15 *generally depicted on two maps entitled “Sacatar*
16 *Trail Wilderness—Proposed 1” and “Sacatar Trail*
17 *Wilderness—Proposed 2”, dated May 1991, and*
18 *which shall be known as the Sacatar Trail Wilder-*
19 *ness.*

20 *(59) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
21 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
22 *which comprise approximately one thousand four*
23 *hundred and forty acres, as generally depicted on a*
24 *map entitled “Saddle Peak Hills Wilderness—Pro-*

1 *posed”, dated July 1993, and which shall be known*
2 *as the Saddle Peak Hills Wilderness.*

3 *(60) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
4 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
5 *which comprise approximately thirty-seven thousand*
6 *nine hundred and eighty acres, as generally depicted*
7 *on a map entitled “San Gorgonio Wilderness Addi-*
8 *tions—Proposed”, dated July 1993, and which are*
9 *hereby incorporated in, and which shall be deemed to*
10 *be a part of, the San Gorgonio Wilderness as des-*
11 *ignated by Public Laws 88–577 and 98–425.*

12 *(61) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
13 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
14 *which comprise approximately sixty-four thousand*
15 *seven hundred and sixty acres, as generally depicted*
16 *on a map entitled “Santa Rosa Wilderness Addi-*
17 *tions—Proposed”, dated July 1993, and which are*
18 *hereby incorporated in, and which shall be deemed to*
19 *be a part of, the Santa Rosa Wilderness designated by*
20 *Public Law 98–425.*

21 *(62) Certain lands in the California Desert Dis-*
22 *trict, of the Bureau of Land Management, which com-*
23 *prise approximately thirty-five thousand and eighty*
24 *acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Saw-*
25 *tooth Mountains Wilderness—Proposed”, dated July*

1 1993, and which shall be known as the Sawtooth
2 Mountains Wilderness.

3 (63) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-
4 servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,
5 which comprise approximately one hundred seventy-
6 four thousand eight hundred acres, as generally de-
7 picted on two maps entitled “Sheephole Valley Wil-
8 derness—Proposed 1”, dated July 1993, and
9 “Sheephole Valley Wilderness—Proposed 2”, dated
10 July 1993, and which shall be known as the Sheephole
11 Valley Wilderness.

12 (64) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-
13 servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,
14 which comprise approximately sixteen thousand seven
15 hundred and eighty acres, as generally depicted on a
16 map entitled “South Nopah Range Wilderness—Pro-
17 posed”, dated February 1986, and which shall be
18 known as the South Nopah Range Wilderness.

19 (65) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-
20 servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,
21 which comprise approximately seven thousand and
22 fifty acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled
23 “Stateline Wilderness—Proposed”, dated May 1991,
24 and which shall be known as the Stateline Wilderness.

1 (66) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
2 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
3 *which comprise approximately eighty-one thousand*
4 *six hundred acres, as generally depicted on a map en-*
5 *titled “Stepladder Mountains Wilderness—Proposed”,*
6 *dated February 1986, and which shall be known as*
7 *the Stepladder Mountains Wilderness.*

8 (67) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
9 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
10 *which comprise approximately twenty-nine thousand*
11 *one hundred and eighty acres, as generally depicted*
12 *on a map entitled “Surprise Canyon Wilderness—*
13 *Proposed”, dated September 1991, and which shall be*
14 *known as the Surprise Canyon Wilderness.*

15 (68) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
16 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
17 *which comprise approximately seventeen thousand*
18 *eight hundred and twenty acres, as generally depicted*
19 *on a map entitled “Sylvania Mountains Wilderness—*
20 *Proposed”, dated February 1986, and which shall be*
21 *known as the Sylvania Mountains Wilderness.*

22 (69) *Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
23 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
24 *which comprise approximately thirty-one thousand*
25 *one hundred and sixty acres, as generally depicted on*

1 *a map entitled “Trilobite Wilderness—Proposed”,*
2 *dated July 1993, and which shall be known as the*
3 *Trilobite Wilderness.*

4 *(70) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
5 *servation Area, of the Bureau of Land Management,*
6 *which comprise approximately one hundred forty-four*
7 *thousand five hundred acres, as generally depicted on*
8 *a map entitled “Turtle Mountains Wilderness—Pro-*
9 *posed 1”, dated February 1986 and a map entitled*
10 *“Turtle Mountains Wilderness—Proposed 2”, dated*
11 *May 1991, and which shall be known as the Turtle*
12 *Mountains Wilderness.*

13 *(71) Certain lands in the California Desert Con-*
14 *servation Area and the Yuma District, of the Bureau*
15 *of Land Management, which comprise approximately*
16 *seventy-seven thousand five hundred and twenty*
17 *acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “Whip-*
18 *ple Mountains Wilderness—Proposed”, dated July*
19 *1993, and which shall be known as the Whipple*
20 *Mountains Wilderness.*

21 **SEC. 103. ADMINISTRATION OF WILDERNESS AREAS.**

22 *(a) MANAGEMENT.—Subject to valid existing rights,*
23 *each wilderness area designated under section 102 shall be*
24 *administered by the Secretary of the Interior (hereinafter*
25 *in this Act referred to as the “Secretary”) or the Secretary*

1 *of Agriculture, as appropriate, in accordance with the pro-*
 2 *visions of the Wilderness Act, except that any reference in*
 3 *such provisions to the effective date of the Wilderness Act*
 4 *shall be deemed to be a reference to the effective date of this*
 5 *title and any reference to the Secretary of Agriculture shall*
 6 *be deemed to be a reference to the Secretary who has admin-*
 7 *istrative jurisdiction over the area.*

8 (b) *MAP AND LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS.*—As soon as prac-
 9 *ticable after the date of enactment of section 102, the Sec-*
 10 *retary concerned shall file a map and legal description for*
 11 *each wilderness area designated under this title with the*
 12 *Committee on Energy and Natural Resources of the United*
 13 *States Senate and the Committee on Natural Resources of*
 14 *the United States House of Representatives. Each such map*
 15 *and description shall have the same force and effect as if*
 16 *included in this title, except that the Secretary or the Sec-*
 17 *retary of Agriculture, as appropriate, may correct clerical*
 18 *and typographical errors in each such legal description and*
 19 *map. Each such map and legal description shall be on file*
 20 *and available for public inspection in the office of the Direc-*
 21 *tor of the Bureau of Land Management, Department of the*
 22 *Interior, or the Chief of the Forest Service, Department of*
 23 *Agriculture, as appropriate.*

24 (c) *LIVESTOCK.*—Within the wilderness areas des-
 25 *ignated under section 102, the grazing of livestock, where*

1 *established prior to the date of enactment of this Act, shall*
2 *be permitted to continue subject to such reasonable regula-*
3 *tions, policies, and practices as the Secretary deems nec-*
4 *essary, as long as such regulations, policies, and practices*
5 *fully conform with and implement the intent of Congress*
6 *regarding grazing in such areas as such intent is expressed*
7 *in the Wilderness Act and section 101(f) of Public Law*
8 *101-628.*

9 (d) *NO BUFFER ZONES.*—The Congress does not in-
10 *tend for the designation of wilderness areas in section 102*
11 *of this Act to lead to the creation of protective perimeters*
12 *or buffer zones around any such wilderness area. The fact*
13 *that nonwilderness activities or uses can be seen or heard*
14 *from areas within a wilderness area shall not, of itself, pre-*
15 *clude such activities or uses up to the boundary of the wil-*
16 *derness area.*

17 (e) *FISH AND WILDLIFE.*—As provided in section
18 *4(d)(7) of the Wilderness Act, nothing in this title shall be*
19 *construed as affecting the jurisdiction of the State of Cali-*
20 *ornia with respect to wildlife and fish on the public lands*
21 *located in that State.*

22 (f) *WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT.*—In furtherance of the
23 *purposes of the Wilderness Act, management activities to*
24 *maintain or restore fish and wildlife populations and the*
25 *habitats to support such populations may be carried out*

1 *within wilderness areas designated by this title, where con-*
2 *sistent with relevant wilderness management plans, in ac-*
3 *cordance with appropriate policies and guidelines, as set*
4 *forth in section 101(h) of Public Law 101–628.*

5 (g) *LAW ENFORCEMENT BORDER ACTIVITIES.—(1)*
6 *Nothing in this title, including the designation as wilder-*
7 *ness of lands within the Jacumba Wilderness, Coyote Moun-*
8 *tains Wilderness, and Fish Creek Mountains Wilderness*
9 *designated in section 102 of this Act, shall be construed as—*

10 (A) *precluding or otherwise affecting continued*
11 *border operations by the Immigration and Natu-*
12 *ralization Service, the Drug Enforcement Administra-*
13 *tion, or the United States Customs Service within*
14 *such wilderness areas, in accordance with any appli-*
15 *cable interagency agreements in effect on the date of*
16 *enactment of this Act; or*

17 (B) *precluding the Attorney General of the*
18 *United States or the Secretary of the Treasury from*
19 *entering into new or renewed agreements with the*
20 *Secretary concerning Immigration and Naturaliza-*
21 *tion Service, Drug Enforcement Administration, or*
22 *United States Custom Service border operations with-*
23 *in such wilderness areas, consistent with management*
24 *of the wilderness areas for the purpose for which such*
25 *wilderness areas were established, and in accordance*

1 with the Federal Land Policy and Management Act
2 of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1701 et seq.).

3 (2)(A) Within six months after the date of enactment
4 of this title, the Secretary, in consultation with the Sec-
5 retary of the Treasury and the Attorney General of the
6 United States, shall review all regulations and policies re-
7 lating to law enforcement activities within the wilderness
8 areas referred to in paragraph (1) to ensure that such regu-
9 lations provide Federal law enforcement agencies with ade-
10 quate authority to engage in law enforcement activities
11 within such wilderness areas.

12 (B) Upon completion of the review referred to in sub-
13 paragraph (A), the Secretary shall notify the Committee on
14 Energy and Natural Resources of the United States Senate
15 and the Committee on Natural Resources of the United
16 States House of Representatives on the adequacy of existing
17 authority for Federal law enforcement agencies to engage
18 in law enforcement activities within such wilderness areas.

19 **SEC. 104. WILDERNESS REVIEW.**

20 (a) *IN GENERAL.*—Except as provided in subsection
21 (b), the Congress hereby finds and directs that lands in the
22 California Desert Conservation Area, of the Bureau of Land
23 Management, not designated as wilderness or wilderness
24 study areas by this Act have been adequately studied for
25 wilderness designation pursuant to section 603 of the Fed-

1 *eral Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (90 Stat.*
2 *2743, 43 U.S.C. 1701 et seq.), and are no longer subject*
3 *to the requirement of section 603(c) of the Federal Land*
4 *Policy and Management Act of 1976 pertaining to the man-*
5 *agement of wilderness study areas in a manner that does*
6 *not impair the suitability of such areas for preservation*
7 *as wilderness.*

8 (b) *AREAS NOT RELEASED.—The following areas shall*
9 *continue to be subject to the requirements of section 603(c)*
10 *of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976,*
11 *pertaining to the management of wilderness study areas in*
12 *a manner that does not impair the suitability of such areas*
13 *for preservation as wilderness—*

14 (1) *certain lands which comprise approximately*
15 *sixty-one thousand three hundred and twenty, as gen-*
16 *erally depicted on a map entitled “Avawatz Moun-*
17 *tains Wilderness—Proposed”, dated May 1991;*

18 (2) *certain lands which comprise approximately*
19 *thirty-nine thousand seven hundred and fifty acres,*
20 *as generally depicted on a map entitled “Kingston*
21 *Range Wilderness—Proposed 4”, dated July 1993;*

22 (3) *certain lands which comprise approximately*
23 *eighty thousand four hundred and thirty acres, as*
24 *generally depicted on two maps entitled “Soda Moun-*
25 *tains Wilderness—Proposed 1”, dated May 1991, and*

1 *“Soda Mountains Wilderness—Proposed 2”, dated*
2 *January 1989; and*

3 (4) *certain lands which compromise approxi-*
4 *mately twenty-three thousand two hundred and fifty*
5 *acres, as generally depicted on a map entitled “South*
6 *Avawatz Mountains—Proposed”, dated May 1991.*

7 (c) *WITHDRAWAL.—Subject to valid existing rights,*
8 *the Federal lands referred to in subsection (b) are hereby*
9 *withdrawn from all forms of entry, appropriation, or dis-*
10 *posal under the public land laws; from location, entry, and*
11 *patent under the United States mining laws; and from dis-*
12 *position under all laws pertaining to mineral and geo-*
13 *thermal leasing, and mineral materials, and all amend-*
14 *ments thereto.*

15 **SEC. 105. DESIGNATION OF WILDERNESS STUDY AREA.**

16 *In furtherance of the provisions of the Wilderness Act,*
17 *certain lands in the California Desert Conservation Area,*
18 *of the Bureau of Land Management, which comprise ap-*
19 *proximately eleven thousand two hundred acres as generally*
20 *depicted on a map entitled “White Mountains Wilderness*
21 *Study Area—Proposed”, dated May 1991, are hereby des-*
22 *ignated as the White Mountains Wilderness Study Area and*
23 *shall be administered by the Secretary in accordance with*
24 *the provisions of section 603(c) of the Federal Land Policy*
25 *and Management Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1782).*

1 **SEC. 106. SUITABILITY REPORT.**

2 *The Secretary is required, ten years after the date of*
3 *enactment of this Act, to report to Congress on current and*
4 *planned exploration, development or mining activities on,*
5 *and suitability for future wilderness designation of, the*
6 *lands as generally depicted on maps entitled “Surprise*
7 *Canyon Wilderness—Proposed”, “Middle Park Canyon*
8 *Wilderness—Proposed”, and “Death Valley National Park*
9 *Boundary and Wilderness 15”, dated September 1991 and*
10 *a map entitled “Manly Peak Wilderness—Proposed”, dated*
11 *October 1991.*

12 **SEC. 107. DESERT LILY SANCTUARY.**

13 (a) *DESIGNATION.*—*There is hereby established the*
14 *Desert Lily Sanctuary within the California Desert Con-*
15 *servation Area, California, of the Bureau of Land Manage-*
16 *ment, comprising approximately two thousand forty acres,*
17 *as generally depicted on a map entitled “Desert Lily Sanc-*
18 *tuary”, dated February 1986. The Secretary shall admin-*
19 *ister the area to provide maximum protection to the desert*
20 *lily.*

21 (b) *WITHDRAWAL.*—*Subject to valid existing rights, all*
22 *Federal lands within the Desert Lily Sanctuary are hereby*
23 *withdrawn from all forms of entry, appropriation, or dis-*
24 *posal under the public land laws; from location, entry, and*
25 *patent under the United States mining laws; and from dis-*
26 *position under all laws pertaining to mineral and geo-*

1 *thermal leasing, and mineral materials, and all amend-*
2 *ments thereto.*

3 **SEC. 108. DINOSAUR TRACKWAY AREA OF CRITICAL ENVI-**
4 **RONMENTAL CONCERN.**

5 (a) *DESIGNATION.*—*There is hereby established the Di-*
6 *inosaur Trackway Area of Critical Environmental Concern*
7 *within the California Desert Conservation Area, of the Bu-*
8 *reau of Land Management, comprising approximately five*
9 *hundred and ninety acres as generally depicted on a map*
10 *entitled “Dinosaur Trackway Area of Critical Environ-*
11 *mental Concern”, dated July 1993. The Secretary shall ad-*
12 *minister the area to preserve the paleontological resources*
13 *within the area.*

14 (b) *WITHDRAWAL.*—*Subject to valid existing rights,*
15 *the Federal lands within and adjacent to the Dinosaur*
16 *Trackway Area of Critical Environmental Concern, as gen-*
17 *erally depicted on a map entitled “Dinosaur Trackway*
18 *Mineral Withdrawal Area”, dated July 1993, are hereby*
19 *withdrawn from all forms of entry, appropriation, or dis-*
20 *posal under the public land laws; from location, entry, and*
21 *patent under the United States mining laws; and from dis-*
22 *position under all laws pertaining to mineral and geo-*
23 *thermal leasing, and mineral materials, and all amend-*
24 *ments thereto.*

1 **TITLE II—DESIGNATION OF WILDERNESS**
 2 **AREAS TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE**
 3 **UNITED STATES FISH AND WILDLIFE**
 4 **SERVICE**

5 **SEC. 201. DESIGNATION AND MANAGEMENT.**

6 (a) *DESIGNATION.*—In furtherance of the purposes of
 7 the Wilderness Act, the following lands are hereby des-
 8 igned as wilderness and therefore, as components of the
 9 National Wilderness Preservation System:

10 (1) *Certain lands in the Havasu National Wild-*
 11 *life Refuge, California, which comprise approximately*
 12 *three thousand one hundred and ninety-five acres, as*
 13 *generally depicted on a map entitled “Havasu Wil-*
 14 *derness—Proposed”, and dated October 1991, and*
 15 *which shall be known as the Havasu Wilderness.*

16 (2) *Certain lands in the Imperial National*
 17 *Wildlife Refuge, California, which comprise approxi-*
 18 *mately five thousand eight hundred and thirty-six*
 19 *acres, as generally depicted on two maps entitled*
 20 *“Imperial Refuge Wilderness—Proposed 1” and “Im-*
 21 *perial Refuge Wilderness—Proposed 2”, and dated*
 22 *October 1991, and which shall be known as the Impe-*
 23 *rial Refuge Wilderness.*

24 (b) *MANAGEMENT.*—Subject to valid existing rights,
 25 the wilderness areas designated under this title shall be ad-

1 ministered by the Secretary in accordance with the provi-
2 sions of the Wilderness Act governing areas designated by
3 that Act as wilderness, except that any reference in such
4 provisions to the effective date of the Wilderness Act (or any
5 similar reference) shall be deemed to be a reference to the
6 date of enactment of this Act.

7 (c) MAPS AND LEGAL DESCRIPTION.—As soon as prac-
8 ticable after enactment of this title, the Secretary shall file
9 a map and a legal description of each wilderness area des-
10 igned under this section with the Committees on Energy
11 and Natural Resources and Environment and Public Works
12 of the United States Senate and Natural Resources and
13 Merchant Marine and Fisheries of the United States House
14 of Representatives. Such map and description shall have
15 the same force and effect as if included in this Act, except
16 that correction of clerical and typographical errors in such
17 legal description and map may be made. Such map and
18 legal description shall be on file and available for public
19 inspection in the Office of the Director, United States Fish
20 and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior.

21 **SEC. 202. NO EFFECT ON COLORADO RIVER DAMS.**

22 Nothing in this title shall be construed to affect the
23 operation of federally owned dams located on the Colorado
24 River in the Lower Basin.

1 **SEC. 203. NO EFFECT ON UPPER BASIN.**

2 *Nothing in this Act shall amend, construe, supersede,*
3 *or preempt any State law, Federal law, interstate compact,*
4 *or international treaty pertaining to the Colorado River*
5 *(including its tributaries) in the Upper Basin, including,*
6 *but not limited to the appropriation, use, development, stor-*
7 *age, regulation, allocation, conservation, exportation, or*
8 *quality of those rivers.*

9 **SEC. 204. COLORADO RIVER.**

10 *With respect to the Havasu and Imperial wilderness*
11 *areas designated by subsection 201(a) of this title, no rights*
12 *to water of the Colorado River are reserved, either expressly,*
13 *impliedly, or otherwise.*

14 **TITLE III—DEATH VALLEY NATIONAL**
15 **PARK**

16 **SEC. 301. FINDINGS.**

17 *The Congress hereby finds that—*

18 *(1) proclamations by Presidents Herbert Hoover*
19 *in 1933 and Franklin Roosevelt in 1937 established*
20 *and expanded the Death Valley National Monument*
21 *for the preservation of the unusual features of scenic,*
22 *scientific, and educational interest therein contained;*

23 *(2) Death Valley National Monument is today*
24 *recognized as a major unit of the National Park Sys-*
25 *tem, having extraordinary values enjoyed by millions*
26 *of visitors;*

1 (3) the monument boundaries established in the
 2 1930's exclude and thereby expose to incompatible de-
 3 velopment and inconsistent management, contiguous
 4 Federal lands of essential and superlative natural, ec-
 5 ological, geological, archeological, paleontological, cul-
 6 tural, historical ad wilderness values;

7 (4) Death Valley National Monument should be
 8 substantially enlarged by the addition of all contig-
 9 uous Federal lands of national park caliber and af-
 10 forded full recognition and statutory protection as a
 11 National Park; and

12 (5) the wilderness within Death Valley should re-
 13 ceive maximum statutory protection by designation
 14 pursuant to the Wilderness Act.

15 **SEC. 302. ESTABLISHMENT OF DEATH VALLEY NATIONAL**
 16 **PARK.**

17 There is hereby established the Death Valley National
 18 Park, (hereinafter in this title referred to as the "park")
 19 as generally depicted on twenty-three maps entitled "Death
 20 Valley National Park Boundary and Wilderness—Pro-
 21 posed", numbered in the title one through twenty-three, and
 22 dated July 1993 or prior, which shall be on file and avail-
 23 able for public inspection in the offices of the Superintend-
 24 ent of the park and the Director of the National Park Serv-
 25 ice, Department of the Interior. The Death Valley National

1 Monument is hereby abolished as such, the lands and inter-
2 ests therein are hereby incorporated within and made part
3 of the new Death Valley National Park, and any funds
4 available for purposes of the monument shall be available
5 for purposes of the park.

6 **SEC. 303. TRANSFER AND ADMINISTRATION OF LANDS.**

7 Upon enactment of this title, the Secretary shall trans-
8 fer the lands under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Land
9 Management depicted in the maps described in section 302
10 of this title, without consideration, to the administrative
11 jurisdiction of the National Park Service for administra-
12 tion as part of the National Park System, and the boundary
13 of the park shall be adjusted accordingly. The Secretary
14 shall administer the areas added to the park by this title
15 in accordance with the provisions of law generally applica-
16 ble to units of the National Park System, including the Act
17 entitled “An Act to establish a National Park Service, and
18 for other purposes”, approved August 25, 1916 (39 Stat.
19 535; 16 U.S.C. 1, 2–4).

20 **SEC. 304. MAPS AND LEGAL DESCRIPTION.**

21 Within six months after the enactment of this title, the
22 Secretary shall file maps and a legal description of the park
23 designated under this title with the Committee on Energy
24 and Natural Resources of the United States Senate and the
25 Committee on Natural Resources of the United States House

1 *of Representatives. Such maps and legal description shall*
2 *have the same force and effect as if included in this title,*
3 *except that the Secretary may correct clerical and typo-*
4 *graphical errors in such legal description and in the maps*
5 *referred to in section 302. The maps and legal description*
6 *shall be on file and available for public inspection in the*
7 *offices of the Superintendent of the park and the Director*
8 *of the National Park Service, Department of the Interior.*

9 **SEC. 305. WITHDRAWAL.**

10 *Subject to valid existing rights, all Federal lands with-*
11 *in the park are hereby withdrawn from all forms of entry,*
12 *appropriation, or disposal under the public land laws; from*
13 *location, entry, and patent under the United States mining*
14 *laws; and from disposition under all laws pertaining to*
15 *mineral and geothermal leasing, and mineral materials,*
16 *and all amendments thereto.*

17 **SEC. 306. GRAZING.**

18 *(a) IN GENERAL.—The privilege of grazing domestic*
19 *livestock on lands within the park may continue to be exer-*
20 *cised at no more than the current level, subject to applicable*
21 *laws and National Park Service regulations, by those per-*
22 *sons holding permits for such grazing on July 1, 1991.*
23 *Upon the expiration of such permits the Secretary may*
24 *issue to such persons new permits for such grazing, subject*
25 *to applicable laws and National Park Service regulations,*

1 *but all grazing of livestock on such lands shall cease on July*
 2 *1, 2018.*

3 (b) *SALE OF PROPERTY.*—*If a person holding a graz-*
 4 *ing permit referred to in subsection (a) informs the Sec-*
 5 *retary that such permittee is willing to convey to the United*
 6 *States any base property with respect to which such permit*
 7 *was issued and to which such permittee holds title, the Sec-*
 8 *retary shall make the acquisition of such base property a*
 9 *priority as compared with the acquisition of other lands*
 10 *within the park, provided agreement can be reached con-*
 11 *cerning the terms and conditions of such acquisition. Any*
 12 *such base property which is located outside the park and*
 13 *acquired as a priority pursuant to this section shall be*
 14 *managed by the Federal agency responsible for the majority*
 15 *of the adjacent lands in accordance with the laws applicable*
 16 *to such adjacent lands.*

17 ***TITLE IV—JOSHUA TREE NATIONAL PARK***

18 ***SEC. 401. FINDINGS.***

19 *The Congress hereby finds that—*

20 (1) *a proclamation by President Franklin Roo-*
 21 *sevelt in 1936 established Joshua Tree National*
 22 *Monument to protect various objects of historical and*
 23 *scientific interest;*

24 (2) *Joshua Tree National Monument today is*
 25 *recognized as a major unit of the National Park Sys-*

1 *tem, having extraordinary values enjoyed by millions*
 2 *of visitors;*

3 *(3) the monument boundaries as modified in*
 4 *1950 and 1961 exclude and thereby expose to incom-*
 5 *patible development and inconsistent management,*
 6 *contiguous Federal lands of essential and superlative*
 7 *natural, ecological, archeological, paleontological, cul-*
 8 *tural, historical, and wilderness values;*

9 *(4) Joshua Tree National Monument should be*
 10 *enlarged by the addition of contiguous Federal lands*
 11 *of national park caliber, and afforded full recognition*
 12 *and statutory protection as a national park; and*

13 *(5) the nondesignated wilderness within Joshua*
 14 *Tree should receive statutory protection by designa-*
 15 *tion pursuant to the Wilderness Act.*

16 **SEC. 402. ESTABLISHMENT OF JOSHUA TREE NATIONAL**
 17 **PARK.**

18 *There is hereby established the Joshua Tree National*
 19 *Park, (hereinafter in this section referred to as the “park”),*
 20 *as generally depicted on a map entitled “Joshua Tree Na-*
 21 *tional Park Boundary—Proposed”, dated May 1991, and*
 22 *four maps entitled “Joshua Tree National Park Boundary*
 23 *and Wilderness”, numbered in the title one through four,*
 24 *and dated October 1991 or prior, which shall be on file and*
 25 *available for public inspection in the offices of the Super-*

1 *intendent of the park and the Director of the National Park*
2 *Service, Department of the Interior. The Joshua Tree Na-*
3 *tional Monument is hereby abolished as such, the lands and*
4 *interests therein are hereby incorporated within and made*
5 *part of the new Joshua Tree National Park, and any funds*
6 *available for purposes of the monument shall be available*
7 *for purposes of the park.*

8 **SEC. 403. TRANSFER AND ADMINISTRATION OF LANDS.**

9 *Upon enactment of this title, the Secretary shall trans-*
10 *fer the lands under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Land*
11 *Management depicted on the maps described in section 402*
12 *of this title, without consideration, to the administrative*
13 *jurisdiction of the National Park Service for administra-*
14 *tion as part of the National Park System. The boundaries*
15 *of the park shall be adjusted accordingly. The Secretary*
16 *shall administer the areas added to the park by this title*
17 *in accordance with the provisions of law generally applica-*
18 *ble to units of the National Park System, including the Act*
19 *entitled "An Act to establish a National Park Service, and*
20 *for other purposes", approved August 25, 1916 (39 Stat.*
21 *535; 16 U.S.C. 1, 2-4).*

22 **SEC. 404. MAPS AND LEGAL DESCRIPTION.**

23 *Within six months after the date of enactment of this*
24 *title, the Secretary shall file maps and legal description of*
25 *the park with the Committee on Energy and Natural Re-*

1 *sources of the United States Senate and the Committee on*
 2 *Natural Resources of the United States House of Represent-*
 3 *atives. Such maps and legal description shall have the same*
 4 *force and effect as if included in this title, except that the*
 5 *Secretary may correct clerical and typographical errors in*
 6 *such legal description and maps. The maps and legal de-*
 7 *scription shall be on file and available for public inspection*
 8 *in the appropriate offices of the National Park Service, De-*
 9 *partment of the Interior.*

10 **SEC. 405. WITHDRAWAL.**

11 *Subject to valid existing rights, all Federal lands with-*
 12 *in the park are hereby withdrawn from all forms of entry,*
 13 *appropriation, or disposal under the public land laws; from*
 14 *location, entry, and patent under the United States mining*
 15 *laws; and from disposition under all laws pertaining to*
 16 *mineral and geothermal leasing, and mineral materials,*
 17 *and all amendments thereto.*

18 **SEC. 406. UTILITY RIGHTS-OF-WAY.**

19 *Nothing in this title shall have the effect of terminating*
 20 *any validly issued right-of-way or customary operation*
 21 *maintenance, repair, and replacement activities in such*
 22 *right-of-way, issued, granted, or permitted to the Metropoli-*
 23 *tan Water District pursuant to the Boulder Canyon Project*
 24 *Act (43 U.S.C. 617–619b), which is located on lands in-*
 25 *cluded in the Joshua Tree National Park, but outside lands*

1 *designated as wilderness under section 601(2). Such activi-*
 2 *ties shall be conducted in a manner which will minimize*
 3 *the impact on park resources. Nothing in this title shall*
 4 *have the effect of terminating the fee title to lands or cus-*
 5 *tomary operation, maintenance, repair, and replacement*
 6 *activities on or under such lands granted to the Metropoli-*
 7 *tan Water District pursuant to the Act on June 18, 1932*
 8 *(47 Stat. 324), which are located on lands included in the*
 9 *Joshua Tree National Park, but outside lands designated*
 10 *as wilderness under section 601(2). Such activities shall be*
 11 *conducted in a manner which will minimize the impact on*
 12 *park resources. The Secretary shall prepare within one hun-*
 13 *dred and eighty days after the date of enactment of this*
 14 *Act, in consultation with the Metropolitan Water District,*
 15 *plans for emergency access by the Metropolitan Water Dis-*
 16 *trict to its lands and rights-of-way.*

17 **TITLE V—MOJAVE NATIONAL PARK**

18 **SEC. 501. FINDINGS.**

19 *The Congress hereby finds that—*

20 *(1) Death Valley and Joshua Tree National*
 21 *Parks, as established by this Act, protect unique and*
 22 *superlative desert resources, but do not embrace the*
 23 *particular ecosystems and transitional desert type*
 24 *found in the Mojave Desert area lying between them*

1 on public lands now afforded only impermanent ad-
2 ministrative designation as a national scenic area;

3 (2) the Mojave desert possesses outstanding natu-
4 ral, cultural, historical, and recreational values mer-
5 iting statutory designation and recognition as a unit
6 of the National Park System;

7 (3) portions of the Mojave desert should be af-
8 forded full recognition and statutory protection as a
9 National Park;

10 (4) the wilderness within the Mojave desert
11 should receive maximum statutory protection by des-
12 ignation pursuant to the Wilderness Act; and

13 (5) the Mojave desert area provides an outstand-
14 ing opportunity to develop services, programs, accom-
15 modations and facilities to ensure the use and enjoy-
16 ment of the area by individuals with disabilities, con-
17 sistent with section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of
18 1973, Public Law 101-336, the Americans With Dis-
19 abilities Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12101), and other ap-
20 propriate laws and regulations.

21 **SEC. 502. ESTABLISHMENT OF MOJAVE NATIONAL PARK.**

22 There is hereby established the Mojave National Park,
23 (hereinafter in this title referred to as the “park”) compris-
24 ing approximately one million one hundred eighty-one
25 thousand five hundred and twenty acres, as generally de-

1 *picted on a map entitled “Mojave National Park Bound-*
2 *ary—Proposed”, dated October 1993, which shall be on file*
3 *and available for inspection in the appropriate offices of*
4 *the National Park Service, Department of the Interior.*

5 **SEC. 503. TRANSFER OF LANDS.**

6 *Upon enactment of this title, the Secretary shall trans-*
7 *fer the lands under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Land*
8 *Management depicted on the maps described in section 502*
9 *of this title, without consideration, to the administrative*
10 *jurisdiction of the National Park Service.*

11 **SEC. 504. MAPS AND LEGAL DESCRIPTION.**

12 *Within six months after the date of enactment of this*
13 *title, the Secretary shall file maps and a legal description*
14 *of the park with the Committee on Energy and Natural Re-*
15 *sources of the United States Senate and the Committee on*
16 *Natural Resources of the United States House of Represent-*
17 *atives. Such maps and legal descriptions shall have the*
18 *same force and effect as if included in this title, except that*
19 *the Secretary may correct clerical and typographical errors*
20 *in such legal descriptions and maps. The maps and legal*
21 *description shall be on file and available for public inspec-*
22 *tion in the appropriate offices of the National Park Service,*
23 *Department of the Interior.*

1 **SEC. 505. ABOLISHMENT OF SCENIC AREA.**

2 *The East Mojave Scenic Area, designated on January*
3 *13, 1981 (46 FR 3994), and modified on August 9, 1983*
4 *(48 FR 36210), is hereby abolished.*

5 **SEC. 506. ADMINISTRATION OF PARK.**

6 *The Secretary shall administer the park in accordance*
7 *with this title and with the provisions of law generally ap-*
8 *plicable to units of the National Park System, including*
9 *the Act entitled "An Act to establish a National Park Serv-*
10 *ice, and for other purposes", approved August 25, 1916 (39*
11 *Stat. 535; 16 U.S.C. 1, 2-4).*

12 **SEC. 507. WITHDRAWAL.**

13 *Subject to valid existing rights, all Federal lands with-*
14 *in the park are hereby withdrawn from all forms of entry,*
15 *appropriation, or disposal under the public land laws; from*
16 *location, entry, and patent under the United States mining*
17 *laws; and from disposition under all laws pertaining to*
18 *mineral and geothermal leasing, and mineral materials,*
19 *and all amendments thereto.*

20 **SEC. 508. REGULATION OF MINING.**

21 *Subject to valid existing rights, all mining claims lo-*
22 *cated within the park shall be subject to all applicable laws*
23 *and regulations applicable to mining within units of the*
24 *National Park System, including the Mining in the Parks*
25 *Act (16 U.S.C. 1901 et seq.), and any patent issued after*
26 *the date of enactment of this title shall convey title only*

1 *to the minerals together with the right to use the surface*
2 *of lands for mining purposes, subject to such laws and regu-*
3 *lations.*

4 **SEC. 509. GRAZING.**

5 (a) *IN GENERAL.*—*The privilege of grazing domestic*
6 *livestock on lands within the park may continue to be exer-*
7 *cised at no more than the current level, subject to applicable*
8 *laws and National Park Service regulations, by those per-*
9 *sons holding permits for such grazing on July 1, 1991.*
10 *Upon the expiration of such permits the Secretary, acting*
11 *through the Director of the National Park Service, may*
12 *issue to such persons new permits for such grazing, subject*
13 *to applicable laws and National Park Service regulations,*
14 *but all grazing of such livestock on such lands shall cease*
15 *on July 1, 2018.*

16 (b) *OFFERS TO SELL.*—*If a person holding a grazing*
17 *permit referred to in subsection (a) informs the Secretary*
18 *that such permittee is willing to convey to the United States*
19 *any base property with respect to which the permit was*
20 *issued and to which such permittee holds title, the Secretary*
21 *shall make the acquisition of such base property a priority*
22 *as compared with the acquisition of other lands within the*
23 *park, provided agreement can be reached concerning the*
24 *terms and conditions of such acquisition. Any such base*
25 *property which is located outside the park and acquired as*

1 a priority pursuant to this section shall be managed by the
 2 Federal agency responsible for the majority of the adjacent
 3 lands in accordance with the laws applicable to such adja-
 4 cent lands.

5 **SEC. 510. UTILITY RIGHTS OF WAY.**

6 (a)(1) Nothing in this title shall have the effect of ter-
 7 minating any validly issued rights-of-way or customary op-
 8 eration, maintenance, repair, and replacement activities in
 9 such rights-of-way, issued, granted, or permitted to South-
 10 ern California Edison Company, its successors or assigns,
 11 which is located on lands included in the Mojave National
 12 Park, but outside lands designated as wilderness under sec-
 13 tion 601(3). Such activities shall be conducted in a manner
 14 which will minimize the impact on park resources.

15 (2) Nothing in this title shall have the effect of prohib-
 16 iting the upgrading of an existing electrical transmission
 17 line for the purpose of increasing the capacity of such trans-
 18 mission line in the Southern California Edison Company
 19 validly issued Eldorado-Lugo Transmission Line right-of-
 20 way and Mojave-Lugo Transmission Line right-of-way, or
 21 in a right-of-way if issued, granted, or permitted by the
 22 Secretary adjacent to the existing Mojave-Lugo Trans-
 23 mission Line right-of-way (hereafter in this section referred
 24 to as “adjacent right-of-way”), including construction of a
 25 replacement transmission line: Provided, That—

1 (A) in the Eldorado-Lugo Transmission Line
2 rights-of-way (hereafter in this section referred to as
3 the “Eldorado-Lugo right-of-way”) at no time shall
4 there be more than 3 electrical transmission lines,

5 (B) in the Mojave-Lugo Transmission Line
6 right-of-way (hereafter in this section referred to as
7 the “Mojave right-of-way”) and adjacent right-of-way,
8 removal of the existing electrical transmission line
9 and reclamation of the site shall be completed no later
10 than three years after the date on which construction
11 of the upgraded transmission line begins, after which
12 time there may be only one electrical transmission
13 line in the lands encompassed by Mojave right-of-way
14 and adjacent right-of-way,

15 (C) if there are no more than two electrical
16 transmission lines in the Eldorado rights-of-way, two
17 electrical transmission lines in the lands encompassed
18 by the Mojave right-of-way and adjacent right-of-way
19 may be allowed,

20 (D) in the Eldorado rights-of-way and Mojave
21 right-of-way no additional land shall be issued,
22 granted, or permitted for such upgrade unless an ad-
23 dition would reduce the impacts to park resources,

24 (E) no more than three hundred and fifty feet of
25 additional land shall be issued, granted, or permitted

1 for an adjacent right-of-way to the south of the Mo-
2 jave right-of-way unless a greater addition would re-
3 duce the impacts to park resources, and

4 (F) such upgrade activities, including helicopter
5 aided construction, shall be conducted in a manner
6 which will minimize the impact on park resources.

7 (3) The Secretary shall prepare within one hundred
8 and eighty days after the date of enactment of this title,
9 in consultation with the Southern California Edison Com-
10 pany, plans for emergency access by the Southern Califor-
11 nia Edison Company to its rights-of-way.

12 (b)(1) Nothing in this title shall have the effect of ter-
13 minating any validly issued right-of-way, or customary op-
14 eration, maintenance, repair, and replacement activities in
15 such right-of-way; prohibiting the upgrading of and con-
16 struction on existing facilities in such right-of-way for the
17 purpose of increasing the capacity of the existing pipeline;
18 or prohibiting the renewal of such right-of-way; issued,
19 granted, or permitted to the Southern California Gas Com-
20 pany, its successors or assigns, which is located on lands
21 included in the Mojave National Park, but outside lands
22 designated as wilderness under section 601(3). Such activi-
23 ties shall be conducted in a manner which will minimize
24 the impact on park resources.

1 (2) *The Secretary shall prepare within one hundred*
2 *and eighty days after the date of enactment of this title,*
3 *in consultation with the Southern California Gas Com-*
4 *pany, plans for emergency access by the Southern Califor-*
5 *nia Gas Company to its rights-of-way.*

6 (c) *Nothing in this title shall have the effect of termi-*
7 *nating any validly issued right-of-way or customary oper-*
8 *ation, maintenance, repair, and replacement activities of*
9 *existing facilities issued, granted, or permitted for commu-*
10 *nications cables or lines, which are located on lands in-*
11 *cluded in the Mojave National Park, but outside lands des-*
12 *ignated as wilderness under section 601(3). Such activities*
13 *shall be conducted in a manner which will minimize the*
14 *impact on park resources.*

15 (d) *Nothing in this title shall have the effect of termi-*
16 *nating any validly issued right-of-way or customary oper-*
17 *ation, maintenance, repair, and replacement activities of*
18 *existing facilities issued, granted, or permitted to Molyb-*
19 *denum Corporation of America; Molycorp, Incorporated; or*
20 *Union Oil Company of California (d/b/a Unocal Corpora-*
21 *tion); or its successors or assigns, or prohibiting renewal*
22 *of such right-of-way, which is located on lands included in*
23 *the Mojave National Park, but outside lands designated as*
24 *wilderness under section 601(3). Such activities shall be*

1 *conducted in a manner which will minimize the impact on*
2 *park resources.*

3 ***SEC. 511. GENERAL MANAGEMENT PLAN.***

4 *(a) IN GENERAL.—Within three years of the date of*
5 *enactment of this title, the Secretary shall submit to the*
6 *Committee on Energy and Natural Resources of the United*
7 *States Senate and the Committee on Natural Resources of*
8 *the United States House of Representatives a detailed and*
9 *comprehensive management plan for the park.*

10 *(b) KELSO DEPOT.—Such plan shall place emphasis*
11 *on historical and cultural sites and ecological and wilder-*
12 *ness values within the boundaries of the park, and shall*
13 *evaluate the feasibility of using the Kelso Depot and exist-*
14 *ing railroad corridor to provide public access to and a facil-*
15 *ity for special interpretive, educational, and scientific pro-*
16 *grams within the park.*

17 *(c) NEEDS OF INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES.—*
18 *Such plan shall specifically address the needs of individuals*
19 *with disabilities in the design of services, programs, accom-*
20 *modations and facilities consistent with section 504 of the*
21 *Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Americans with Disabilities*
22 *Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 12101), and other appropriate laws*
23 *and regulations.*

1 **SEC. 512. GRANITE MOUNTAINS NATURAL RESERVE.**

2 (a) *ESTABLISHMENT.*—There is hereby designated the
3 Granite Mountains Natural Reserve within the park com-
4 prising approximately nine thousand acres as generally de-
5 picted on a map entitled “Mojave National Park Boundary
6 and Wilderness—Proposed 6”, dated May 1991.

7 (b) *COOPERATIVE MANAGEMENT AGREEMENT.*—Upon
8 enactment of this title, the Secretary shall enter into a coop-
9 erative management agreement with the University of Cali-
10 fornia for the purposes of managing the lands within the
11 Granite Mountains Natural Reserve. Such cooperative
12 agreement shall ensure continuation of arid lands research
13 and educational activities of the University of California,
14 consistent with the provisions of this title and laws gen-
15 erally applicable to units of the National Park System.

16 **SEC. 513. SODA SPRINGS DESERT STUDY CENTER.**

17 Upon enactment of this title, the Secretary shall enter
18 into a cooperative management agreement with California
19 State University for the purposes of managing facilities at
20 the Soda Springs Desert Study Center. Such cooperative
21 agreement shall ensure continuation of the desert research
22 and educational activities of California State University,
23 consistent with the provisions of this title and laws gen-
24 erally applicable to units of the National Park System.

1 **SEC. 514. CONSTRUCTION OF VISITOR CENTER.**

2 *The Secretary is authorized to construct a visitor cen-*
3 *ter in the park for the purpose of providing information*
4 *through appropriate displays, printed material, and other*
5 *interpretive programs, about the resources of the park.*

6 **SEC. 515. ACQUISITION OF LANDS**

7 *IN GENERAL.—The Secretary is authorized to acquire*
8 *all lands and interests therein within the boundary of the*
9 *park by donation, purchase, or exchange, except that—*

10 *(1) any lands or interests therein within the*
11 *boundary of the park which are owned by the State*
12 *of California, or any political subdivision thereof,*
13 *may be acquired only by donation or exchange except*
14 *for lands managed by California State Lands Com-*
15 *mission; and*

16 *(2) lands or interests therein within the bound-*
17 *ary of the park which are not owned by the State of*
18 *California or any political subdivision thereof may be*
19 *acquired only with the consent of the owner thereof*
20 *unless the Secretary determines, after written notice*
21 *to the owner and after opportunity for comment, that*
22 *the property is being developed, or proposed to be de-*
23 *veloped, in a manner which is detrimental to the in-*
24 *tegrity of the park or which is otherwise incompatible*
25 *with the purposes of this title.*

1 **SEC. 516. SUITABILITY REPORT.**

2 *The Secretary is required, twenty years after the date*
3 *of enactment of this title, to report to Congress on current*
4 *and planned exploration, development or mining activities*
5 *on, and suitability for future park designation of, the lands*
6 *as generally depicted on a map entitled “Mojave National*
7 *Park Study Area— Proposed”, dated July 1992.*

8 **TITLE VI—NATIONAL PARK WILDERNESS**

9 **SEC. 601. DESIGNATION OF WILDERNESS.**

10 *(a) In furtherance of the purposes of the Wilderness*
11 *Act (78 Stat. 890; 16 U.S.C. 1311 et seq.), the following*
12 *lands within the units of the National Park System des-*
13 *ignated by this Act are hereby designated as wilderness, and*
14 *therefore, as components of the National Wilderness Preser-*
15 *vation System:*

16 *(1) Death Valley National Park Wilderness, com-*
17 *prising approximately three million one hundred*
18 *fifty-eight thousand thirty-eight acres, as generally*
19 *depicted on twenty-three maps entitled “Death Valley*
20 *National Park Boundary and Wilderness”, numbered*
21 *in the title one through twenty-three, and dated Octo-*
22 *ber 1993 or prior, and three maps entitled “Death*
23 *Valley National Park Wilderness”, numbered in the*
24 *title one through three, and dated July 1993 or prior,*
25 *and which shall be known as the Death Valley Wilder-*
26 *ness.*

1 (2) *Joshua Tree National Park Wilderness Addi-*
2 *tions, comprising approximately one hundred thirty-*
3 *one thousand seven hundred and eighty acres, as gen-*
4 *erally depicted on four maps entitled “Joshua Tree*
5 *National Park Boundary and Wilderness—Proposed”,*
6 *numbered in the title one through four, and dated Oc-*
7 *tober 1991 or prior, and which are hereby incor-*
8 *porated in, and which shall be deemed to be a part*
9 *of the Joshua Tree Wilderness as designated by Public*
10 *Law 94–567.*

11 (3) *Mojave National Park Wilderness, compris-*
12 *ing approximately six hundred ninety-five thousand*
13 *two hundred and sixteen acres, as generally depicted*
14 *on ten maps entitled “Mojave National Park Bound-*
15 *ary and Wilderness—Proposed”, numbered in the*
16 *title one through ten, and dated July 1993 or prior,*
17 *and seven maps entitled “Mojave National Park Wil-*
18 *derness—Proposed”, numbered in the title one*
19 *through seven, and dated July 1993 or prior, and*
20 *which shall be known as the Mojave Wilderness.*

21 (b) *POTENTIAL WILDERNESS.—Upon cessation of all*
22 *uses prohibited by the Wilderness Act and publication by*
23 *the Secretary in the Federal Register of notice of such ces-*
24 *sation, potential wilderness, comprising approximately six*
25 *thousand eight hundred and forty acres, as described in*

1 “1988 Death Valley National Monument Draft General
2 Management Plan Draft Environmental Impact State-
3 ment” (hereafter in this title referred to as “Draft Plan”)
4 and as generally depicted on map in the Draft Plan entitled
5 “Wilderness Plan Death Valley National Monument”, dated
6 January 1988, and which shall be deemed to be a part of
7 the Death Valley Wilderness as designated in paragraph
8 (1). Lands identified in the Draft Plan as potential wilder-
9 ness shall be managed by the Secretary insofar as prac-
10 ticable as wilderness until such time as said lands are des-
11 ignated as wilderness.

12 **SEC. 602. FILING OF MAPS AND DESCRIPTIONS.**

13 Maps and a legal description of the boundaries of the
14 areas designated in section 601 of this title shall be on file
15 and available for public inspection in the appropriate of-
16 fices of the National Park Service, Department of the Inte-
17 rior. As soon as practicable after the date of enactment of
18 this title takes effect, maps and legal descriptions of the wil-
19 derness areas shall be filed with the Committee on Energy
20 and Natural Resources of the United States Senate and the
21 Committee on Natural Resources of the United States House
22 of Representatives, and such maps and legal descriptions
23 shall have the same force and effect as if included in this
24 title, except that the Secretary may correct clerical and ty-
25 pographical errors in such maps and legal descriptions.

1 **SEC. 603. ADMINISTRATION OF WILDERNESS AREAS.**

2 *The areas designated by section 601 of this title as wil-*
3 *derness shall be administered by the Secretary in accord-*
4 *ance with the applicable provisions of the Wilderness Act*
5 *governing areas designated by that title as wilderness, ex-*
6 *cept that any reference in such provision to the effective*
7 *date of the Wilderness Act shall be deemed to be a reference*
8 *to the effective date of this title, and where appropriate,*
9 *and reference to the Secretary of Agriculture shall be deemed*
10 *to be a reference to the Secretary of the Interior.*

11 **TITLE VII—MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS**

12 **SEC. 701. TRANSFER OF LANDS TO RED ROCK CANYON**

13 **STATE PARK.**

14 *Upon enactment of this title, the Secretary shall trans-*
15 *fer to the State of California certain lands within the Cali-*
16 *fornia Desert Conservation Area, California, of the Bureau*
17 *of Land Management, comprising approximately twenty*
18 *thousand five hundred acres, as generally depicted on two*
19 *maps entitled “Red Rock Canyon State Park Additions 1”*
20 *and “Red Rock Canyon State Park Additions 2”, dated*
21 *May 1991, for inclusion in the State of California Park*
22 *System. Should the State of California cease to manage*
23 *these lands as part of the State Park System, ownership*
24 *of the lands shall revert to the Department of the Interior*
25 *to be managed as part of California Desert Conservation*

1 *Area to provide maximum protection for the area's scenic*
2 *and scientific values.*

3 **SEC. 702. LAND TENURE ADJUSTMENTS.**

4 *In preparing land tenure adjustment decisions with*
5 *the California Desert Conservation Area, of the Bureau of*
6 *Land Management, the Secretary shall give priority to con-*
7 *solidating Federal ownership within the national park*
8 *units and wilderness areas designated by this Act.*

9 **SEC. 703. LAND DISPOSAL.**

10 *Except as provided in section 406, none of the lands*
11 *within the boundaries of the wilderness or park areas des-*
12 *ignated under this Act shall be granted to or otherwise made*
13 *available for use by the Metropolitan Water District or any*
14 *other agencies or persons pursuant to the Boulder Canyon*
15 *Project Act (43 U.S.C. 617–619b) or any similar acts.*

16 **SEC. 704. MANAGEMENT OF NEWLY ACQUIRED LANDS.**

17 *Any lands within the boundaries of a wilderness area*
18 *designated under this Act which are acquired by the Federal*
19 *Government, shall become part of the wilderness area with-*
20 *in which they are located and shall be managed in accord-*
21 *ance with all the provisions of this Act and other laws ap-*
22 *plicable to such wilderness area.*

23 **SEC. 705. NATIVE AMERICAN USES AND INTERESTS.**

24 *(a) ACCESS.—In recognition of the past use of the*
25 *parks and wilderness areas designed under this Act by In-*

1 *dian people for traditional cultural and religious purposes,*
 2 *the Secretary shall ensure access to such parks and wilder-*
 3 *ness areas by Indian people for such traditional cultural*
 4 *and religious purposes. In implementing this section, the*
 5 *Secretary, upon the request of an Indian tribe or Indian*
 6 *religious community, shall temporarily close to the general*
 7 *public use of one or more specific portions of park or wilder-*
 8 *ness in order to protect the privacy of traditional cultural*
 9 *and religious activities in such areas by Indian people. Any*
 10 *such closure shall be made to affect the smallest practicable*
 11 *area for the minimum period necessary for such purposes.*
 12 *Such access shall be consistent with the purpose and intent*
 13 *of Public Law 95–341 (42 U.S.C. 1996) commonly referred*
 14 *to as the “American Indian Religious Freedom Act”, and*
 15 *with respect to areas designated as wilderness, the Wilder-*
 16 *ness Act (78 Stat. 890; 16 U.S.C. 1131).*

17 *(b) COOK INLET REGIONAL CORPORATION.—Section*
 18 *12 of the Act of January 2, 1976 (Public Law 94–204; 38*
 19 *U.S.C. 1611 note), as amended, is further amended—*

20 *(1) by redesignating subsections (c) through (i)*
 21 *as subsections (d) through (j), respectively;*

22 *(2) by inserting after subsection (b) the following*
 23 *new subsection:*

24 *“(c) The Native landowner shall be required to deter-*
 25 *mine the fair value of subsurface interests conveyed to it*

1 pursuant to subsection (b) shall be the appraisal methodol-
 2 ogy customarily used by the Minerals Management Service
 3 for valuing similar interests (such as discounted cash flow
 4 based methodology). The fair value of any subsurface inter-
 5 ests in land determined by a qualified independent ap-
 6 praiser designated by the Region utilizing the methodology
 7 described above shall be binding for all purposes, except for
 8 Federal income tax matters, and provided that this excep-
 9 tion shall create no inference that the determination is not
 10 appropriate for establishing fair value in such matters.”;
 11 and

12 (3) in paragraph (9) of subsection (b), by strik-
 13 ing “section 12(h)” and inserting in lieu thereof “sec-
 14 tion 12(i)”.

15 **SEC. 706. FEDERAL RESERVE WATER RIGHTS.**

16 (a) Except as otherwise provided in section 204, with
 17 respect to each wilderness area designated by this Act, Con-
 18 gress hereby reserves a quantity of water sufficient to fulfill
 19 the purposes of this Act. The priority date of such reserved
 20 water rights shall be the date of enactment of this Act.

21 (b) The Secretary and all other officers of the United
 22 States shall take all steps necessary to protect the rights
 23 reserved by this section, including the filing by the Sec-
 24 retary of a claim for the quantification of such rights in
 25 any present or future appropriate stream adjudication in

1 *the courts of the State of California in which the United*
 2 *States is or may be joined in accordance with section 208*
 3 *of the Act of July 10, 1952 (66 Stat. 560, 44 U.S.C. 666),*
 4 *commonly referred to as the McCarran Amendment.*

5 (c) *Nothing in this Act shall be construed as a relin-*
 6 *quishment or reduction of any water rights reserved or ap-*
 7 *propriated by the United States in the State of California*
 8 *on or before the date of enactment of this Act.*

9 (d) *The Federal water rights reserved by this Act are*
 10 *specific to the wilderness area located in the State of Cali-*
 11 *fornia designated under this Act. Nothing in this Act relat-*
 12 *ed to the reserved Federal water rights shall be construed*
 13 *as establishing a precedent with regard to any future des-*
 14 *ignations, nor shall it constitute an interpretation of any*
 15 *other Act or any designation made thereto.*

16 **SEC. 707. CALIFORNIA STATE SCHOOL LANDS.**

17 (a) *NEGOTIATIONS TO EXCHANGE.*—*Upon request of*
 18 *the California State Lands Commission (hereinafter in this*
 19 *section referred to as the “Commission”), the Secretary shall*
 20 *enter into negotiations for an agreement to exchange Fed-*
 21 *eral lands or interests therein on the list referred to in sub-*
 22 *section (b) (2) for California State School lands or interests*
 23 *therein which are located within the boundaries of one or*
 24 *more of the wilderness areas or park units designated by*
 25 *this Act (hereinafter in this section referred to as “State*

1 *School lands.''). The Secretary shall negotiate in good faith*
2 *to reach a land exchange agreement consistent with the re-*
3 *quirements of section 206 of the Federal Land Policy and*
4 *Management Act of 1976.*

5 *(b) PREPARATION OF LIST.—Within six months after*
6 *the date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary shall send*
7 *to the Commission and to the Committee on Energy and*
8 *Natural Resources of the United States Senate and the*
9 *Committee on Natural Resources of the United States House*
10 *of Representatives a list of the following:*

11 *(1) State School lands or interests therein (in-*
12 *cluding mineral interests) which are located within*
13 *the boundaries of the wilderness areas or park units*
14 *designated by this Act.*

15 *(2) Lands within the State of California under*
16 *the jurisdiction of the Secretary that the Secretary de-*
17 *termines to be suitable for disposal for exchange, iden-*
18 *tified in the following priority—*

19 *(A) lands with mineral interests, including*
20 *geothermal, which have the potential for commer-*
21 *cial development but which are not currently*
22 *under mineral lease or producing Federal min-*
23 *eral revenues;*

24 *(B) Federal claims in California managed*
25 *by the Bureau of Reclamation that the Secretary*

1 *determines are not needed for any Bureau of*
2 *Reclamation project; and*

3 *(C) any public lands in California that the*
4 *Secretary, pursuant to the Federal Land Policy*
5 *and Management Act of 1976, has determined to*
6 *be suitable for disposal through exchange.*

7 *(3) Any other Federal land, or interest therein,*
8 *within the State of California which is or becomes*
9 *surplus to the needs of the Federal Government.*

10 *(4) The Secretary shall maintain such list and*
11 *shall annually transmit such list to the Committee on*
12 *Energy and Natural Resources of the United States*
13 *Senate and the Committee on Natural Resources of*
14 *the United States House of Representatives until all*
15 *of the State School lands identified in paragraph (1)*
16 *have been acquired.*

17 *(c) DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS FEDERAL PROPERTY.—(1)*
18 *Effective upon the date of enactment of this Act and until*
19 *all State School lands identified in paragraph (b)(1) of this*
20 *section are acquired, no Federal lands or interests therein*
21 *within the State of California may be disposed of from Fed-*
22 *eral ownership unless—*

23 *(A) the Secretary is notified of the availability*
24 *of such lands or interest therein;*

1 (B) the Secretary has notified the Commission of
2 the availability of such lands or interests therein for
3 exchange; and

4 (C) the Commission has not notified the Sec-
5 retary within six months that it wishes to consider
6 entering into an exchange for such lands or interests
7 therein.

8 (2) If the Commission notifies the Secretary that it
9 wishes to consider an exchange for such lands or interests
10 therein, the Secretary shall attempt to conclude such ex-
11 change in accordance with the provisions of this section as
12 quickly as possible.

13 (3) If an agreement is reached and executed with the
14 Commission, then upon notice to the head of the agency hav-
15 ing administrative jurisdiction over such lands or interests
16 therein, the Secretary shall be vested with administrative
17 jurisdiction over such lands or interests therein for the pur-
18 pose of concluding such exchange.

19 (4) Upon the acquisition of all State School lands or
20 upon notice by the Commission to the Secretary that it no
21 longer has an interest in such lands or interests therein,
22 such lands or interests shall be released to the agency that
23 originally had jurisdiction over such lands or interests for
24 disposal in accordance with the laws otherwise applicable
25 to such lands or interests.

1 (d) *NO EFFECT ON MILITARY BASE CLOSURES.*—The
 2 provisions of this section shall not apply to the disposal
 3 of property under title II of the Defense Authorization
 4 Amendments and Base Closure and Realignment Act (Pub-
 5 lic Law 100–526; 102 Stat. 2627; 10 U.S.C. 2687 note) or
 6 the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Act of 1990
 7 (Public Law 101–510; 104 Stat. 1808; 10 U.S.C. 2687
 8 note).

9 **TITLE VIII—MILITARY LANDS AND**
 10 **OVERFLIGHTS**

11 **SEC. 801. SHORT TITLE AND FINDINGS.**

12 (a) *SHORT TITLE.*—This title may be cited as the
 13 “California Military Lands Withdrawal and Overflights
 14 Act of 1993”.

15 (b) *FINDINGS.*—The Congress finds that—

16 (1) *military aircraft testing and training activi-*
 17 *ties as well as demilitarization activities in Califor-*
 18 *nia are an important part of the national defense sys-*
 19 *tem of the United States, and are essential in order*
 20 *to secure for the American people of this and future*
 21 *generations an enduring and viable national defense*
 22 *system;*

23 (2) *the National Parks and wilderness areas des-*
 24 *ignated by this Act lie within a region critical to pro-*

1 *viding training, research, and development for the*
2 *Armed Forces of the United States and its allies;*

3 *(3) there is a lack of alternative sites available*
4 *for these military training, testing, and research ac-*
5 *tivities;*

6 *(4) continued use of the lands and airspace in*
7 *the California desert region is essential for military*
8 *purposes; and*

9 *(5) continuation of these military activities, under*
10 *appropriate terms and conditions, is not incompatible*
11 *with the protection and proper management of the*
12 *natural, environmental, cultural, and other resources*
13 *and values of the Federal lands in the California*
14 *desert area.*

15 **SEC. 802. MILITARY OVERFLIGHTS.**

16 *(a) OVERFLIGHTS.—Nothing in this Act, the Wilder-*
17 *ness Act, or other land management laws generally applica-*
18 *ble to the new units of the National Park or Wilderness*
19 *Preservation Systems (or any additions to existing units)*
20 *designated by this Act, shall restrict or preclude low-level*
21 *overflights of military aircraft over such units, including*
22 *military overflights that can be seen or heard within such*
23 *units.*

24 *(b) SPECIAL AIRSPACE.—Nothing in this Act, the Wil-*
25 *derness Act, or other land management laws generally ap-*

1 *plicable to the new units of the National Park or Wilderness*
 2 *Preservation Systems (or any additions to existing units)*
 3 *designated by this Act, shall restrict or preclude the des-*
 4 *ignation of new units of special airspace or the use or estab-*
 5 *lishment of military flight training routes over such new*
 6 *park or wilderness units.*

7 (c) *NO EFFECT ON OTHER LAWS.*—*Nothing in this*
 8 *section shall be construed to modify, expand, or diminish*
 9 *any authority under other Federal law.*

10 **SEC. 803. WITHDRAWALS.**

11 (a) *CHINA LAKE.*—(1) *Subject to valid existing rights*
 12 *and except as otherwise provided in this title, the Federal*
 13 *lands referred to in paragraph (2), and all other areas with-*
 14 *in the boundary of such lands as depicted on the map speci-*
 15 *fied in such paragraph which may become subject to the*
 16 *operation of the public land laws, are hereby withdrawn*
 17 *from all forms of appropriation under the public land laws*
 18 *(including the mining laws and the mineral leasing laws).*
 19 *Such lands are reserved for use by the Secretary of the Navy*
 20 *for—*

21 (A) *use as a research, development, test, and*
 22 *evaluation laboratory;*

23 (B) *use as a range for air warfare weapons and*
 24 *weapon systems;*

1 (C) use as a high hazard training area for aerial
2 gunnery, rocketry, electronic warfare and counter-
3 measures, tactical maneuvering and air support;

4 (D) geothermal leasing and development and re-
5 lated power production activities; and

6 (E) subject to the requirements of section 804(f),
7 other defense-related purposes consistent with the pur-
8 poses specified in this paragraph.

9 (2) The lands referred to in paragraph (1) are the Fed-
10 eral lands located within the boundaries of the China Lake
11 Naval Weapons Center, comprising approximately one mil-
12 lion one hundred thousand acres in Inyo, Kern, and San
13 Bernardino Counties, California, as generally depicted on
14 a map entitled “China Lake Naval Weapons Center With-
15 drawal—Proposed”, dated January 1985.

16 (b) CHOCOLATE MOUNTAIN.—(1) Subject to valid ex-
17 isting rights and except as otherwise provided in this title,
18 the Federal lands referred to in paragraph (2), and all other
19 areas within the boundary of such lands as depicted on the
20 map specified in such paragraph which may become subject
21 to the operation of the public land laws, are hereby with-
22 drawn from all forms of appropriation under the public
23 land laws (including the mining laws and the mineral leas-
24 ing and the geothermal leasing laws). Such lands are re-
25 served for use by the Secretary of the Navy for—

1 (A) testing and training for aerial bombing, mis-
2 sile firing, tactical maneuvering and air support; and

3 (B) subject to the provisions of section 804(f),
4 other defense-related purposes consistent with the pur-
5 poses specified in this paragraph.

6 (2) The lands referred to in paragraph (1) are the Fed-
7 eral lands comprising approximately two hundred twenty-
8 six thousand seven hundred and eleven acres in Imperial
9 County, California, as generally depicted on a map entitled
10 “Chocolate Mountain Aerial Gunnery Range Proposed—
11 Withdrawal” dated July 1993.

12 **SEC. 804. MAPS AND LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS.**

13 (a) *PUBLICATION AND FILING REQUIREMENT.*—As
14 soon as practicable after the date of enactment of this title,
15 the Secretary shall—

16 (1) publish in the Federal Register a notice con-
17 taining the legal description of the lands withdrawn
18 and reserved by this title; and

19 (2) file maps and the legal description of the
20 lands withdrawn and reserved by this title with the
21 Committee on Energy and Natural Resources of the
22 United States Senate and with the Committee on
23 Natural Resources of the United States House of Rep-
24 resentatives.

1 (b) *TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS.*—Such maps and legal
2 descriptions shall have the same force and effect as if they
3 were included in this title except that the Secretary may
4 correct clerical and typographical errors in such maps and
5 legal descriptions.

6 (c) *AVAILABILITY FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION.*—Copies of
7 such maps and legal descriptions shall be available for pub-
8 lic inspection in the appropriate offices of the Bureau of
9 Land Management; the office of the commander of the Naval
10 Weapons Center, China Lake, California; the office of the
11 commanding officer, Marine Corps Air Station, Yuma, Ari-
12 zona; and the Office of the Secretary of Defense, Washing-
13 ton, District of Columbia.

14 (d) *REIMBURSEMENT.*—The Secretary of Defense shall
15 reimburse the Secretary for the cost of implementing this
16 section.

17 **SEC. 805. MANAGEMENT OF WITHDRAWN LANDS.**

18 (a) *MANAGEMENT BY THE SECRETARY OF THE INTE-*
19 *RIOR.*—(1) Except as provided in subsection (g), during the
20 period of the withdrawal the Secretary shall manage the
21 lands withdrawn under section 802 of this title pursuant
22 to the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976
23 (43 U.S.C. 1701 et seq.) and other applicable law, including
24 this title.

1 (2) *To the extent consistent with applicable law and*
2 *Executive orders, the lands withdrawn under section 802*
3 *may be managed in a manner permitting—*

4 (A) *the continuation of grazing pursuant to ap-*
5 *plicable law and Executive orders were permitted on*
6 *the date of enactment of this title;*

7 (B) *protection of wildlife and wildlife habitat;*

8 (C) *control of predatory and other animals;*

9 (D) *recreation (but only on lands withdrawn by*
10 *section 802(a) (relating to China Lake));*

11 (E) *the prevention and appropriate suppression*
12 *of brush and range fires resulting from nonmilitary*
13 *activities; and*

14 (F) *geothermal leasing and development and re-*
15 *lated power production activities on the lands with-*
16 *drawn under section 802(a) (relating to China Lake).*

17 (3)(A) *All nonmilitary use of such lands, including the*
18 *uses described in paragraph (2), shall be subject to such con-*
19 *ditions and restrictions as may be necessary to permit the*
20 *military use of such lands for the purposes specified in or*
21 *authorized pursuant to this title.*

22 (B) *The Secretary may issue any lease, easement,*
23 *right-of-way, or other authorization with respect to the non-*
24 *military use of such lands only with the concurrence of the*
25 *Secretary of the Navy.*

1 (b) *CLOSURE TO PUBLIC.*—(1) *If the Secretary of the*
2 *Navy determines that military operations, public safety, or*
3 *national security require the closure to public use of any*
4 *road, trail, or other portion of the lands withdrawn by this*
5 *title, the Secretary may take such action as the Secretary*
6 *determines necessary or desirable to effect and maintain*
7 *such closure.*

8 (2) *Any such closure shall be limited to the minimum*
9 *areas and periods which the Secretary of the Navy deter-*
10 *mines are required to carry out this subsection.*

11 (3) *Before and during any closure under this sub-*
12 *section, the Secretary of the Navy shall—*

13 (A) *keep appropriate warning notices posted;*
14 *and*

15 (B) *take appropriate steps to notify the public*
16 *concerning such closures.*

17 (c) *MANAGEMENT PLAN.*—*The Secretary (after con-*
18 *sultation with the Secretary of the Navy) shall develop a*
19 *plan for the management of each area withdrawn under*
20 *section 802 of this title during the period of such with-*
21 *drawal. Each plan shall—*

22 (1) *be consistent with applicable law;*

23 (2) *be subject to conditions and restrictions spec-*
24 *ified in subsection (a)(3);*

1 (3) *include such provisions as may be necessary*
2 *for proper management and protection of the re-*
3 *sources and values of such area; and*

4 (4) *be developed not later than three years after*
5 *the date of enactment of this title.*

6 (d) *BRUSH AND RANGE FIRES.*—*The Secretary of the*
7 *Navy shall take necessary precautions to prevent and sup-*
8 *press brush and range fires occurring within and outside*
9 *the lands withdrawn under section 802 as a result of mili-*
10 *tary activities and may seek assistance from the Bureau*
11 *of Land Management in the suppression of such fires. The*
12 *memorandum of understanding required by subsection (e)*
13 *shall provide for Bureau of Land Management assistance*
14 *in the suppression of such fires, and for a transfer of funds*
15 *from the Department of the Navy to the Bureau of Land*
16 *Management as compensation for such assistance.*

17 (e) *MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING.*—(1) *The Sec-*
18 *retary and the Secretary of the Navy shall (with respect*
19 *to each land withdrawal under section 802 of this title)*
20 *enter into a memorandum of understanding to implement*
21 *the management plan developed under subsection (c). Any*
22 *such memorandum of understanding shall provide that the*
23 *Director of the Bureau of Land Management shall provide*
24 *assistance in the suppression of fires resulting from the*

1 *military use of lands withdrawn under section 802 if re-*
2 *quested by the Secretary of the Navy.*

3 (2) *The duration of any such memorandum shall be*
4 *the same as the period of the withdrawal of the lands under*
5 *section 802.*

6 (f) *ADDITIONAL MILITARY USES.—Lands withdrawn*
7 *under section 802 of this title may be used for defense-relat-*
8 *ed uses other than those specified in such section. The Sec-*
9 *retary of Defense shall promptly notify the Secretary in the*
10 *event that the lands withdrawn by this title will be used*
11 *for defense-related purposes other than those specified in sec-*
12 *tion 802. Such notification shall indicate the additional use*
13 *or uses involved, the proposed duration of such uses, and*
14 *the extent to which such additional military uses of the*
15 *withdrawn lands will require that additional or more strin-*
16 *gent conditions or restrictions be imposed on otherwise-per-*
17 *mitted nonmilitary uses of the withdrawn land or portions*
18 *thereof.*

19 (g) *MANAGEMENT OF CHINA LAKE.—(1) The Secretary*
20 *may assign the management responsibility for the lands*
21 *withdrawn under section 802(a) to the Secretary of the*
22 *Navy who shall manage such lands, and issue leases, ease-*
23 *ments, rights-of-way, and other authorizations, in accord-*
24 *ance with this title and cooperative management arrange-*
25 *ments between the Secretary and the Secretary of the Navy:*

1 *Provided, That nothing in this subsection shall affect geo-*
2 *thermal leases issued by the Secretary prior to the date of*
3 *enactment of this title, or the responsibility of the Secretary*
4 *to administer and manage such leases, consistent with the*
5 *provisions of this section. In the case that the Secretary as-*
6 *signs such management responsibility to the Secretary of*
7 *the Navy before the development of the management plan*
8 *under subsection (c), the Secretary of the Navy (after con-*
9 *sultation with the Secretary) shall develop such manage-*
10 *ment plan.*

11 (2) *The Secretary shall be responsible for the issuance*
12 *of any lease, easement, right-of-way, and other authoriza-*
13 *tion with respect to any activity which involves both the*
14 *lands withdrawn under section 802(a) and any other lands.*
15 *Any such authorization shall be issued only with the con-*
16 *sent of the Secretary of the Navy and, to the extent that*
17 *such activity involves lands withdrawn under section*
18 *802(a), shall be subject to such conditions as the Secretary*
19 *of the Navy may prescribe.*

20 (3) *The Secretary of the Navy shall prepare and sub-*
21 *mit to the Secretary an annual report on the status of the*
22 *natural and cultural resources and values of the lands with-*
23 *drawn under section 802(a). The Secretary shall transmit*
24 *such report to the Committee on Energy and Natural Re-*
25 *sources of the United States Senate and the Committee on*

1 *Natural Resources of the United States House of Represent-*
2 *atives.*

3 (4) *The Secretary of the Navy shall be responsible for*
4 *the management of wild horses and burros located on the*
5 *lands withdrawn under section 802(a) and may utilize heli-*
6 *copters and motorized vehicles for such purposes. Such man-*
7 *agement shall be in accordance with laws applicable to such*
8 *management on public lands and with an appropriate*
9 *memorandum of understanding between the Secretary and*
10 *the Secretary of the Navy.*

11 (5) *Neither this title nor any other provision of law*
12 *shall be construed to prohibit the Secretary from issuing*
13 *and administering any lease for the development and utili-*
14 *zation of geothermal steam and associated geothermal re-*
15 *sources on the lands withdrawn under section 802(a) pursu-*
16 *ant to the Geothermal Steam Act of 1970 (30 U.S.C. 1001*
17 *et seq.) and other applicable law, but no such lease shall*
18 *be issued without the concurrence of the Secretary of the*
19 *Navy.*

20 (6) *This title shall not affect the geothermal explo-*
21 *ration and development authority of the Secretary of the*
22 *Navy under section 2689 of title 10, United States Code,*
23 *except that the Secretary of the Navy shall obtain the con-*
24 *currence of the Secretary before taking action under that*

1 *section with respect to the lands withdrawn under section*
2 *802(a).*

3 (7) *Upon the expiration of the withdrawal or relin-*
4 *quishment of China Lake, Navy contracts for the develop-*
5 *ment of geothermal resources at China Lake then in effect*
6 *(as amended or renewed by the Navy after the date of enact-*
7 *ment of this title) shall remain in effect: Provided, That*
8 *the Secretary, with the consent of the Secretary of the Navy,*
9 *may offer to substitute a standard geothermal lease for any*
10 *such contract.*

11 **SEC. 806. DURATION OF WITHDRAWALS.**

12 (a) *DURATION.*—*The withdrawals and reservations es-*
13 *tablished by this title shall terminate twenty-five years after*
14 *the date of enactment of this title.*

15 (b) *DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT.*—*No*
16 *later than twenty-two years after the date of enactment of*
17 *this title, the Secretary of the Navy shall publish a draft*
18 *environmental impact statement concerning continued or*
19 *renewed withdrawal of any portion of the lands withdrawn*
20 *by this title for which that Secretary intends to seek such*
21 *continued or renewed withdrawal. Such draft environ-*
22 *mental impact statement shall be consistent with the re-*
23 *quirements of the National Environmental Policy Act of*
24 *1969 (42 U.S.C. 4321 et seq.) applicable to such a draft*
25 *environmental impact statement. Prior to the termination*

1 *date specified in subsection (a), the Secretary of the Navy*
2 *shall hold a public hearing on any draft environmental im-*
3 *pact statement published pursuant to this section. Such*
4 *hearing shall be held in the State of California in order*
5 *to receive public comments on the alternatives and other*
6 *matters included in such draft environmental impact state-*
7 *ment.*

8 (c) *EXTENSIONS OR RENEWALS.*—*The withdrawals es-*
9 *tablished by this title may not be extended or renewed except*
10 *by an Act or joint resolution of Congress.*

11 ***SEC. 807. ONGOING DECONTAMINATION.***

12 (a) *PROGRAM.*—*Throughout the duration of the with-*
13 *drawals made by this title, the Secretary of the Navy, to*
14 *the extent funds are made available, shall maintain a pro-*
15 *gram of decontamination of lands withdrawn by this title*
16 *at least at the level of decontamination activities performed*
17 *on such lands in fiscal year 1986.*

18 (b) *REPORTS.*—*At the same time as the President*
19 *transmits to the Congress the President's proposed budget*
20 *for the first fiscal year beginning after the date of enactment*
21 *of this title and for each subsequent fiscal year, the Sec-*
22 *retary of the Navy shall transmit to the Committees on Ap-*
23 *propriations, Armed Services, and Energy and Natural Re-*
24 *sources of the United States Senate and to the Committees*
25 *on Appropriations, Armed Services, and Natural Resources*

1 *of the United States House of Representatives a description*
2 *of the decontamination efforts undertaken during the pre-*
3 *vious fiscal year on such lands and the decontamination*
4 *activities proposed for such lands during the next fiscal*
5 *year including—*

6 (1) *amounts appropriated and obligated or ex-*
7 *pended for decontamination of such lands;*

8 (2) *the methods used to decontaminate such*
9 *lands;*

10 (3) *amount and types of contaminants removed*
11 *from such lands;*

12 (4) *estimated types and amounts of residual con-*
13 *tamination on such lands; and*

14 (5) *an estimate of the costs for full contamina-*
15 *tion of such lands and the estimate of the time to*
16 *complete such decontamination.*

17 **SEC. 808. REQUIREMENTS FOR RENEWAL.**

18 (a) *NOTICE AND FILING.—(1) No later than three*
19 *years prior to the termination of the withdrawal and res-*
20 *ervation established by this title, the Secretary of the Navy*
21 *shall advise the Secretary as to whether or not the Secretary*
22 *of the Navy will have a continuing military need for any*
23 *of the lands withdrawn under section 802 after the termi-*
24 *nation date of such withdrawal and reservation.*

1 (2) *If the Secretary of the Navy concludes that there*
2 *will be a continuing military need for any of such lands*
3 *after the termination date, the Secretary of the Navy shall*
4 *file an application for extension of the withdrawal and res-*
5 *ervation of such needed lands in accordance with the regula-*
6 *tions and procedures of the Department of the Interior ap-*
7 *plicable to the extension of withdrawals of lands for mili-*
8 *tary uses.*

9 (3) *If, during the period of withdrawal and reserva-*
10 *tion, the Secretary of the Navy decides to relinquish all or*
11 *any of the lands withdrawn and reserved by this title, the*
12 *Secretary of the Navy shall file a notice of intention to re-*
13 *linquish with the Secretary.*

14 (b) *CONTAMINATION.*—(1) *Before transmitting a notice*
15 *of intention to relinquish pursuant to subsection (a), the*
16 *Secretary of Defense, acting through the Department of the*
17 *Navy, shall prepare a written determination concerning*
18 *whether and to what extent the lands that are to be relin-*
19 *quished are contaminated with explosive, toxic, or other*
20 *hazardous materials.*

21 (2) *A copy of such determination shall be transmitted*
22 *with the notice of intention to relinquish.*

23 (3) *Copies of both the notice of intention to relinquish*
24 *and the determination concerning the contaminated state*

1 of the lands shall be published in the Federal Register by
2 the Secretary of the Interior.

3 (c) *DECONTAMINATION.*—If any land which is the sub-
4 ject of a notice of intention to relinquish pursuant to sub-
5 section (a) is contaminated, and the Secretary, in consulta-
6 tion with the Secretary of the Navy, determines that decon-
7 tamination is practicable and economically feasible (taking
8 into consideration the potential future use and value of the
9 land) and that upon decontamination, the land could be
10 opened to operation of some or all of the public land laws,
11 including the mining laws, the Secretary of the Navy shall
12 decontaminate the land to the extent that funds are appro-
13 priated for such purpose.

14 (d) *ALTERNATIVES.*—If the Secretary, after consulta-
15 tion with the Secretary of the Navy, concludes that decon-
16 tamination of any land which is the subject of a notice of
17 intention to relinquish pursuant to subsection (a) is not
18 practicable or economically feasible, or that the land cannot
19 be decontaminated sufficiently to be opened to operation of
20 some or all of the public land laws, or if Congress does not
21 appropriate a sufficient amount of funds for the decon-
22 tamination of such land, the Secretary shall not be required
23 to accept the land proposed for relinquishment.

24 (e) *STATUS OF CONTAMINATED LANDS.*—If, because of
25 their contaminated state, the Secretary declines to accept

1 *jurisdiction over lands withdrawn by this title which have*
2 *been proposed for relinquishment, or if at the expiration*
3 *of the withdrawal made by this title the Secretary deter-*
4 *mines that some of the lands withdrawn by this title are*
5 *contaminated to an extent which prevents opening such con-*
6 *taminated lands to operation of the public land laws—*

7 *(1) the Secretary of the Navy shall take appro-*
8 *priate steps to warn the public of the contaminated*
9 *state of such lands and any risks associated with*
10 *entry onto such lands;*

11 *(2) after the expiration of the withdrawal, the*
12 *Secretary of the Navy shall undertake no activities on*
13 *such lands except in connection with decontamination*
14 *of such lands; and*

15 *(3) the Secretary of the Navy shall report to the*
16 *Secretary and to the Congress concerning the status*
17 *of such lands and all actions taken in furtherance of*
18 *this subsection.*

19 *(f) REVOCATION AUTHORITY.—Notwithstanding any*
20 *other provision of law, the Secretary, upon deciding that*
21 *it is in the public interest to accept jurisdiction over lands*
22 *proposed for relinquishment pursuant to subsection (a), is*
23 *authorized to revoke the withdrawal and reservation estab-*
24 *lished by this title as it applies to such lands. Should the*
25 *decision be made to revoke the withdrawal and reservation,*

1 *the Secretary shall publish in the Federal Register an ap-*
2 *propriate order which shall—*

3 *(1) terminate the withdrawal and reservation;*

4 *(2) constitute official acceptance of full jurisdic-*
5 *tion over the lands by the Secretary; and*

6 *(3) state the date upon which the lands will be*
7 *opened to the operation of some or all of the public*
8 *lands law, including the mining laws.*

9 **SEC. 809. DELEGABILITY.**

10 *(a) DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE.—The functions of the*
11 *Secretary of Defense or the Secretary of the Navy under*
12 *this title may be delegated.*

13 *(b) DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.—The functions*
14 *of the Secretary under this title may be delegated, except*
15 *that an order described in section 807(f) may be approved*
16 *and signed only by the Secretary, the Under Secretary of*
17 *the Interior, or an Assistant Secretary of the Department*
18 *of the Interior.*

19 **SEC. 810. HUNTING, FISHING, AND TRAPPING.**

20 *All hunting, fishing, and trapping on the lands with-*
21 *drawn by this title shall be conducted in accordance with*
22 *the provisions of section 2671 of title 10, United States*
23 *Code.*

1 **SEC. 811. IMMUNITY OF UNITED STATES.**

2 *The United States and all departments or agencies*
 3 *thereof shall be held harmless and shall not be liable for*
 4 *any injury or damage to persons or property suffered in*
 5 *the course of any geothermal leasing or other authorized*
 6 *nonmilitary activity conducted on lands described in sec-*
 7 *tion 802 of this title.*

8 **SEC. 812. EL CENTRO RANGES.**

9 *The Secretary is authorized to permit the Secretary*
 10 *of the Navy to use until January 1, 1997, the approxi-*
 11 *mately forty-four thousand eight hundred and seventy acres*
 12 *of public lands in Imperial County, California, known as*
 13 *the East Mesa and West Mesa ranges, in accordance with*
 14 *the Memorandum of Understanding dated June 29, 1987,*
 15 *between the Bureau of Land Management, the Bureau of*
 16 *Reclamation, and the Department of the Navy. All military*
 17 *uses of such lands shall cease on January 1, 1997, unless*
 18 *authorized by a subsequent Act of Congress.*

19 **TITLE IX—AUTHORIZATION OF**
 20 **APPROPRIATIONS**

21 **SEC. 901. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

22 *There are hereby authorized to be appropriated such*
 23 *sums as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of this*
 24 *Act.*

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